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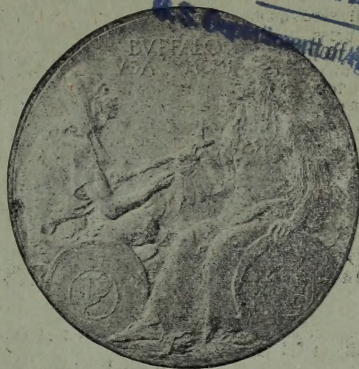
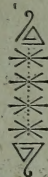
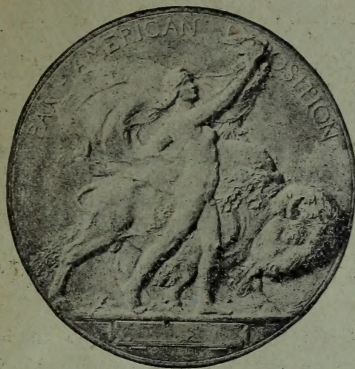
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BELL'S SEEDS were Awarded a GOLD MEDAL at the Pan-American Exposition for Purity and Quality



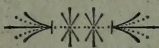
## BELL'S Seed Catalogue.



**Best and Cheapest Seeds that Grow.**



We sell Seeds direct to people who  
plant them at about Wholesale Prices.



J. J. BELL, DEPOSIT, BROOME CO., N. Y.



# Always Keep this in Mind.

- I. That we guarantee seeds to grow, replacing free any unsatisfactory—that we will fill your order promptly and that you may send small amounts in postage stamps.
- II. That you can order Flower Seeds by the number placed before them, or you can write out the name as you wish. If you order 81, 294, 511, we send Mixed Asters, Pinks, Pansies.
- III. Send some addresses of people who would be likely to send us an order if they had our catalogue, and we will add something extra to your order. Write addresses on separate sheet.

Quantity

Names of seed wanted.

Price.



I have used your seed for the last 17 years, good proof of their merits.

Mrs. H. L. Widrig,  
Sandy Creek, N. Y.

We have been your customers for 7 years and have been much pleased with your seeds all the time.

Mrs. B. S. Rehm,  
Ash Grove, Neb.

It affords me great pleasure to send my second order this season as your seeds are so good; my friends are carried away with such good seeds at such low prices. I highly recommend your seeds as being the best that are grown. Your seeds have taken first prize here.

Alfred Smith,  
Whitewood, Ky.

I bought seed of you last year and they done well, but the Sweet Peas done more than well, they were the admiration of the neighborhood; they were so early and handsome in spite of the dry weather.

Bailey C. Colby,  
Amesbury, Mass.

I have bought seeds of you for a long time and they never failed to grow.

Mrs. Andy Hogshead,  
Ashley, Ill.

I have found your seeds just what you recommend them, therefore I order from you. I had a splendid garden from your seeds last year.

Mrs. E. S. Goode,  
Hustonville, Ky.

I have used your seed a good many years and am well satisfied with them.

Mrs. Nora A. Gossard,  
St Johns, Ohio.

The seeds I got of you this last spring were splendid. Will want more next spring.

Mrs. W. R. Carney,  
Gillespie, Ill



# |||||New and Standard VEGETABLE SEEDS.|||||

This List contains the Cream of Everything Worth Planting—No Skimmed Milk—The BEST New and Old.

**Varieties.** We aim to make our List of Vegetable Seeds just as short as possible, including only the BEST New and Old for Early, Medium and Late crops.

**Price.** All our Vegetable Seed is put up in ordinary size packets; (same as others sell for 5 cents each.) OUR PRICE 15, one packet for 4 cents; 3 packets for 10 cts.; 5 pkts. or over at 3 cts. a pkt.; 25 pkts. or over at 2½ cents each; 50 pkts. or over 2¼ cts. each. 100 packets by express \$2.00.

At the above prices you select any varieties of vegetable seed in this catalogue and we mail them postpaid, except 100 for \$2.

## ASPARAGUS, Seed.

A small bed produces an abundance of this delicious vegetable for an ordinary family. Similar in taste to green peas and equally desirable. Plants from seed will be fit for use in about 2 years.

**Conover's Colossal.** Standard sort, extensively grown. Oz. 6 cts. ¼ lb 18c  
**Donald's Elmira.** Mammoth size, tender and succulent; one of the best ever grown. ounce 9 cts. ¼ lb. 24 cts. lb. 65 cts.

**Barr's Mammoth.** Twice as large as ordinary Asparagus, very tender quick growing and fine flavor. oz. 8 cts. ¼ lb 22 cts. lb. 65 cts.

**Palmetto.** Thick, large, fine market sort. oz. 7 cts. ¼ lb. 20 cts. lb 55c.

**California or Columbian Mammoth White.** Large, clear white stalks without bleaching or earthing up. ¼ oz. 5 cts. oz 9c. ¼ lb 23c. lb 60c.

**ASPARAGUS ROOTS.** 20 for 25 cts. 50 for 50 cts. by mail. Extra large ones by express, 60 for 50 cts. 100 for 75 cents.



CURRIES RUST-PROOF WAX BEAN.

Compare our prices of Beans, or any other seed with those in any Seed Catalogue, remembering that ours are mailed postpaid and you add 16c, a quart postage to most others.

## Bush or Dwarf BEANS:

We mail Beans postpaid at these prices except those marked to go by express: if you want seeds by express deduct 16 cents a quart from mail prices. Do not pay other seedmen 5 or 10 cents a packet for Beans, Peas and Corn, their pkts. contain about the same quantity as our 2 ounce pkts. and cost twice as much. Their 15 cent packets usually contain about ¼ pint.

YELLOW PODDED, WAX or BUTTER BEANS.

**Improved Early Golden Wax.** Pods long, flat and of excellent quality and rich yellow color; plants vigorous, holds pods well off the ground. ¼ pint 6 cts. ½ pt. 10 cts. quart 38 cts. By express quart 20 cts. peck \$1.40.

**BELL'S IMPROVED KIDNEY WAX.** Vines are strong and robust, producing an immense crop of long, nearly straight, handsome, golden, wax-like pods of fine quality; a profitable and desirable sort; matures early; brittle and stringless. ¼ pint 7 cts. ½ pt. 13 cts. quart 43 cts. 25c. qt. by express.

**BELL'S PROLIFIC RUSTLESS WAX.** Remarkably strong, bushy and vigorous grower; branching freely and loaded to the ends with long, thick, half-round pods of a rich yellow color and the finest possible quality, being entirely stringless even when old enough to shell. Continues bearing if pods are picked. ¼ pt. 8 cts. ½ pint 15 cts. quart 45 cts. Lots of 2 quarts or over by express 30 cts. a quart.

**Prolific German Black Wax.** Pods about 4 inches long, round and curved meaty, brittle and entirely stringless; matures early; strong grower; nice yellow pods. ¼ pint 6 cts. ½ pt. 10 cts. qt. 38c. By express quart 20 cts. peck \$1.40.

**Curries Rustproof Wax.** Early, productive, pods long and flat, ½ inch wide, very brittle and fine flavor; rustproof. ¼ Pt. 6c. ½ pint. 11c. qt. 40 cts.

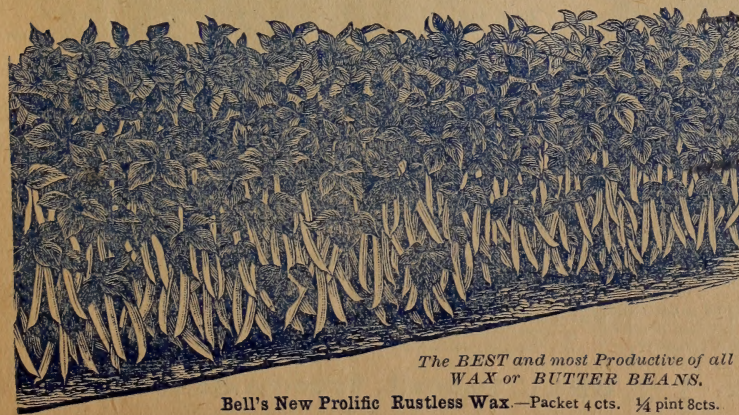
**Davis White Wax.** Beans large, clear white, kidney-shaped; pods 7 to 8 inches long, thick, brittle and stringless. Good as a shell bean; unusually productive. ¼ pint 7 cts. ½ pint 12 cts. quart 42 cts.

**Detroit Wax.** Hardy, productive, bearing its pods well off the ground, almost absolutely rustproof; very handsome, straight, thick-edged pods of beautiful golden yellow. ¼ pint 7 cts. ½ pint 12 cts. quart 40c.

**YOSEMITE MAMMOTH WAX.** A giant variety; pods 10 to 14 inches long and thick as a mans finger, being almost all solid pulp; rich, golden color and absolutely stringless, cooking tender and delicious. One plant often bears 20 of these enormous pods. ¼ pint 10 cts. ½ pint 18c. quart 50 cents.



BELL'S IMPROVED KIDNEY WAX.



The BEST and most Productive of all WAX or BUTTER BEANS.

Bell's New Prolific Rustless Wax.—Packet 4 cts. ¼ pint 8c.

Try some of the above Wax Beans



Our Packets of Vegetable Seed are as large as those put up by other seedsmen. OUR PRICE is LOWER than theirs:  
 WE SELL ALL Vegetable Seed, any varieties in this Catalogue, at 4 cents for 1 packet; 3 pkts. for 10 cts.; 5 pkts. or over  
 at 3 cts. a pkt.; 25 pkts. or over at 2½ cts. a pkt.; 50 pkts. or over at 2¼ cts. a pkt.: Mailed postpaid at these prices.

## NEW GOLDEN ANDALUSIA BEAN



## Green Pod Bush Beans.

Deduct 16 cents a quart if ordered by express.

- ✓ **Early Mohawk.** Extra early, often fit for use in sixty days, hardy, productive ¼ pint 5 cts. ½ pt. 9 cts. quart 32 cts.
- ✓ **Extra Early Red Valentine.** Standard extra early green podded bean; fine quality for table use. ¼ pint 5 cts. ½ pt. 9 cts. quart 33 cts.
- ✓ **Best of All.** Hardy, productive and beautiful, fine quality, brittle and tender. Rather early. ¼ pint 6 cts. ½ pint 10 cts. quart 35 cts.
- ✓ **Dwarf Horticultural or Cranberry.** Pods speckled. Best sort to shell green for succotash: about equal to Limas. ¼ pt. 8 cts. ½ pt. 9 cts. quart 32c.
- ✓ **Large White Marrow.** Large, clear white and mealy. The most popular field sort for a dry shell bean. ¼ pt. 9 cts. qt. 30 cts. Peck by ex. \$1.10.
- ✓ **Large White Kidney.** Very long and large; preferred by many to plant for field crop. Productive, good. ½ pint 9 cts. qt. 34 cts. Peck by express \$1.25.
- ✓ **Extra Early Refugee.** Has all the good qualities of the popular Refugee and is 10 days earlier. Productive. ¼ pint 5 cts. ½ pt. 9 cts. quart 33 cts.
- ✓ **Prolific Tree.** Enormous yielder; tree-like plants covered with pods. Beans white, good to shell for dry bean. ½ pint 9 cts. quart 30 cts.
- ✓ **Henderson's Bush Lima.** ¼ pt. 6 cts. ½ pt. 10 cts. quart 35 cts.
- ✓ **Burpee's Bush Lima.** Largest. ¼ pint 8 cts. ½ pint 15 cts. quart 45 cts.

## POLE BEANS:

- ✓ **Old Homestead or Improved Kentucky Wonder.** The best sort for a green podded pole bean, 10 days earlier than others; enormously productive, pods cover pole from top to bottom. Entirely stringless, cooks tender and melting and continues bearing till late. ¼ pint 7 cts. ½ pint 12 cts. quart 40 cts.
- ✓ **Dutch Case Knife.** Productive, good old sort; rather early, great producer and good flavor. White, good to shell. ¼ pt. 8 cts. ½ pt. 10 cts. quart 35 cts.
- ✓ **Lazy Wife.** Immensely productive; easily gathered and quick to cook; pods 5 to 6 inches long completely cover vines. Very fleshy and entirely stringless, retaining rich, tender, brittle texture. ¼ pt. 7 cts. ½ pt. 12c. quart 43 cts.
- ✓ **Early Jersey Lima.** This is 10 to 15 days earlier than any other Lima and fully as large. Very tender and rich in quality. ½ pint 12 cts. quart 42 cts.
- ✓ **Golden Cluster Wax.** A grand, early, yellow podded pole bean. The pods are borne in clusters and cover the vines from July till frosts. Pods 6 to 7 inches long, tender and delicious. ¼ pint 8 cts. ½ pint 15 cts. quart 45 cts.
- ✓ **GOLDEN ANDALUSIA WAX.** Hundreds pronounce this the most valuable pole bean ever offered. The wonderful productiveness is shown in the illustration; it is nothing unusual to pick ½ bushel from a vine at once. The pods are 5 to 6 inches long, broad, thick, fleshy and entirely stringless, retaining rich buttery flavor when cooked. Plants commence bearing young and continue till frosts. Beans large, white. ¼ pint 10 cts. ½ pint 18 cts. quart 45c.

## Table BEETS:

Packets contain about 800 seeds. 1 ounce sows 50 feet of drill.

- ✓ **Lent's Extra Early Blood Turnip.** As early as the old Egyptian and much larger and better. Deep, rich, blood color; tender and sweet. Top small: produces crop in 6 weeks. Never tough. ounce 8 cts. ¼ lb. 18 cts. lb. 48 cts.
- ✓ **Eclipse or Columbian.** Extra early, uniform, globe shaped, fine quality, deep gloss red. ounce 7 cts. ¼ lb 15 cts. lb. 42 cts.
- ✓ **CRIMSON HUSTLER.** One of the earliest beets ever produced; has the small top and extreme earliness of the Egyptian but is better quality: tender and sweet after maturity. Fine extra early. ¼ oz. 5c. oz. 9c. ¼ lb 20 cts. lb. 55c.
- ✓ **Crosby's Egyptian.** Very early, has the good points of the old Egyptian but is better quality. Beautiful, round shape, dark crimson color, perfect form. A good early market sort. ½ oz. 5 cts. oz. 9 cts. ¼ lb 20 cts. lb. 60 cts.
- ✓ **Early Bassano.** Good light colored sort. oz. 6 cts. ¼ lb 14 cts. lb. 40 cts.
- ✓ **Edmonds Early Turnip.** Nice, fair sized, medium early, uniform, handsome round with small top; deep blood red color; extremely sweet and tender. An excellent second early. oz. 7 cts. ¼ lb 15 cts. lb 40 cts.
- ✓ **Dawing's Blood Turnip.** Good size, deep red, fine for main crop or winter use. ounce 7 cts. ¼ lb. 14 cts. lb 40 cts.
- ✓ **Improved Blood Turnip.** The standard, popular sort for home and winter use. deep red color, fine flavor. oz. 6 cts. ¼ lb 13 cts. lb 38 cts.
- ✓ **Long Blood Red.** Long, winter sort. oz. 5 cts. ¼ lb 13 cts. lb 37 cts.
- ✓ **Imperial Sugar.** Productive, will yield nearly as much as Mangel Wurtzels and very sweet. Good table beet. oz. 5 cts. ¼ lb 12 cts. lb 38 cts.
- ✓ **White French Sugar.** Long, large, good for stock or table use. Nutritious and an enormous yielder. oz. 5 cts. ¼ lb. 12 cts. lb. 37 cts.
- ✓ **We will sell White French or Imperial Sugar, Long Blood, Early Blood Turnip.** in 3 pound lots or over, by express at 27 cts. a pound,
- ✓ **Swiss Chard or Silver Beet.** Also called Sea Kale. Very large, succulent leaves superior to Spinach for greens and lasts in good condition all summer. You will like this. oz. 8 cts. ¼ lb 18 cts. lb. 50 cts.

## Mangel Wurzel BEETS.

Every farmer should plant some of these for stock feeding. Value estimated at \$10. a ton and yield is often 50 tons per acre.

- ✓ **BELL'S GIANT LONG RED.** The largest and best beet grown for stock feeding. Will yield on good soil 1000 to 2000 bushels an acre. Roots often weigh 25 pounds. oz. 5 cts. ¼ lb 12 cts. ½ lb 35 cts. 5 lbs by express \$1.00.
- ✓ **Golden Tankard.** The best yellow Mangel; large, rich and sweet. About as good as turnip beets for table use. oz. 5 cts. ¼ lb 12 cts. lb 35 cts. In lots of 3 lbs. or over by express, 22 cents a pound.

MOST Catalogues give express prices, ours gives mail prices. Deduct 16 cents a quart, 4 cts. for ½ pint and 8 cts. per lb. from ours, (postage.) THEN compare,

Address your order, J. J. BELL, Deposit, Broome Co., N. Y.



# CABBAGE.

Pkts. contain about 2000 seeds.



**BELL'S MAMMOTH WAKEFIELD.**

**Bell's Mammoth Wakefield.** Resembles the Jersey Wakefield but is much larger and a few days later. Good quality and an excellent seller.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 9 cts. oz 15 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 50 cts. lb \$1.90.

**Henderson's Early Summer.** Fine second early; makes large, compact, flattened, excellent heads.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 7c. oz 12c.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 40 cts.

**Fottler's Improved Brunswick.** Fine early fall variety. Heads flat, thick through, hard and solid with few outer leaves. Dwarf compact grower.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 7 cts. oz 12 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 45 cts. lb \$1.65.

**Henderson's Succession.** Extra good fall sort; whole fields show scarcely a poor head; large, solid and good keeper. Sow a little later for winter use.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 8 cts. oz 15 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 50 cts. lb \$2.

**All Seasons.** This is almost identical with the Vandegaw. Splendid early fall cabbage, large size, solid and excellent flavor; one of the most reliable headers and best keepers. Good as a winter sort; does not crack.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 8 cts. oz 15 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 50 cts. lb \$1.85.

**All Head.** Medium early, extra solid, sure header, fine quality and an excellent keeper.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 7 cts. oz 12 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 45c. lb \$1.50.

**Warren Stone mason.** This and the Danish Ballhead are now the two popular shipping cabbages. Heads rather small, extra solid, heavy, best keeper.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 8 cts. oz 15c.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 50 cts. lb \$1.90.

**Danish Ballhead.** This cabbage, sometimes called Hollander, is one of the hardest heading, best keeping and most profitable for home or market.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 10 cts. oz 18 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 60 cts. lb \$2.00.

**Improved Premium Flat Dutch.** A standard sort and one of the most extensively grown for winter use. Heads very large and always sells well. oz 10 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 35 cts. lb \$1.25.



**EARLY WINNINGSTADT.**

**Early Winningstadt** Hard, pointed heads; always heads well and is bothered very little with worms. Best for private gardens; can be had very early. Sow in June for winter use. ounce 10 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 28 cts. lb 95 cts.

**Early Etampse.** Very early, pointed heads. Improvement on York. oz 10c.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 30c.

**Early Jersey Wakefield.** A very popular sort with market growers. Extra early, compact and good quality.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 8 cts. oz 15 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 45 cts. lb \$1.70.



**AUTUMN KING or WORLDBEATER.**

**Autumn King.** This same cabbage is called Worldbeater by some firms. Very large, late, dark green, reliable header and long keeper. One of the best large late sorts.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 8 cts. oz 15 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 50 cts. lb \$1.75.

**Large Late Drumhead.** Old sort forming very large heads; late and very good keeper. oz 10 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 35 cts. lb \$1.25.

**Marblehead Mammoth.** Giant in size but hardly equal in quality to Autumn King. Late. oz 10 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 35 cts. lb \$1.35.

**Mammoth Red Rock.** The largest and best of red cabbages. Will weigh about 10 pounds each.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 8 cts. oz 15 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 50 cts.



**ALL SEASONS.**

uniform in size and appearance,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 8 cts. oz 15 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 55 cts. lb \$2.00.

**Drumhead Savoy.** Best curled cabbage. Finest flavor. oz 10 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 35 cts.

**Mixed Cabbage Seed.** Above and other varieties. This seed is all carefully grown separately and mixed by us. Many people grow but a few and like an assortment of early, medium and late. oz 9 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 25 cts. lb 85 cts.

## BELL'S SUREHEAD.

Almost every plant of this produces a large, solid head of the finest quality, with few outer leaves. Heads very large, flattened at the top an excellent keeper and of the finest texture. A field of these show scarcely any poor heads: all are large and



**BELL'S SUREHEAD.**



REMEMBER THE PRICE—ALL VEGETABLE SEED—any sorts you select, by mail! postpaid, 4 cents a packet, 5 pkts. for 10 cts. 5 pkts. or over at 3 cts. a pkt. 25 pkts. or over at 2½ cts. a pkt. 50 pkts. or over at 2¼ cts. a pkt.

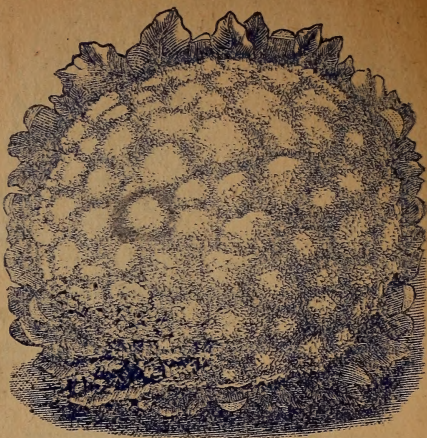
## CAULIFLOWER

**Early Dwarf Erfurt.** A popular extra early sort. Very reliable header, one-tenth oz. 12c. ¼ oz. 25c.  
**BELL'S EARLY SUREHEAD.** Early and reliable header, large, compact and of the very best quality. 1-8 oz. 20 cts. ¼ oz. 35 cts. oz. \$1.25.  
**Henderson's Early Snowball.** Heads good size, solid, pure snowy white and fine quality. Very early compact grower always producing a good crop. one-tenth ounce 18 cts. ¼ oz. 40 cts. oz. \$1.50.  
**LeNormand's Short Stem.** Excellent for late fall crop, produces a quite large head of close well blanched curd. ¼ oz. 18 cts. ½ oz. 30 cts.

## CARROT

Packets contain 4000 to 5000 seeds. 1 ounce sows 100 feet of drill.

**Early French Forcing Horn.** Extra early and fine quality but small. oz. 7 cts. ¼ lb. 18 cts. lb. 70c.  
**Guerande or Oxheart Orange.** Roots 5 to 6 inches long and 2 to 4 through: very solid, of deep orange color; finest quality. oz. 8 cts. ¼ lb. 20 cts. lb. 60c.  
**Danver's Half Long.** A popular market sort; productive, handsome, best table qualities, rich orange color. ounce 7 cts. ¼ lb. 20 cts. lb. 55 cts.  
**Improved Long Orange.** Best known and most extensively grown of any; roots long and tapering to point; uniform size, rich color, good for stock or table. ounce 6 cts. ¼ lb. 15 cts. lb. 50 cts. Lots of 2 pounds or over by express 40 cts. lb.  
**Long White Belgian.** Large and easily harvested produces more than any other and is unexcelled for stock feeding. ounce 5 cts. ¼ lb. 13 cts. lb. 40 cts. 2 lbs. or over by express at 30 cts. a pound.



Henderson's Early Snowball Cauliflower.

## Cress or Peppergrass.

**Fine Curled.** Delicious salad; sow thickly every 2 weeks for succession. ounce 6 cts. ¼ lb. 14 cts. lb. 45 cts.  
**Water Cress.** Grows along streams, spreading each season. ¼ oz. 10 cts. oz. 28 cts.



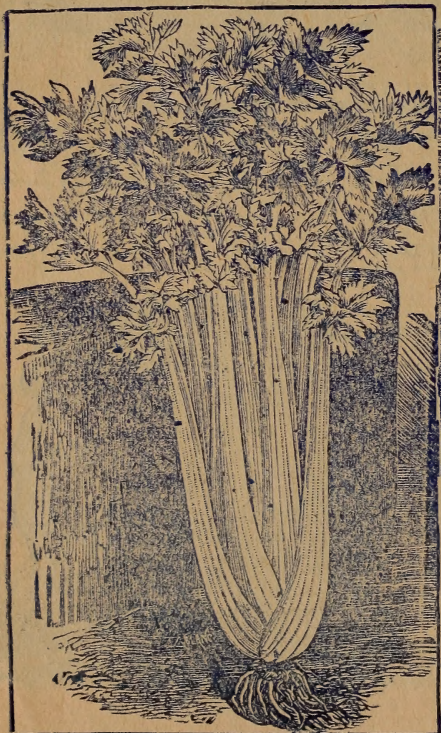
LONG ORANGE CARROT.

## Chicory Collards

Dried roots used as coffee. ounce 8 cts. ¼ lb. 20 cts.

**True Georgia.** Large open heads, used in the south. ounce 9 cts. ¼ lb. 25 cts.

DO NOT BE DECEIVED and pay more than our prices to some one who issues a Bigger Catalogue. Their seed is no better, they are simply asking you to help pay for their Expensive Catalogues. Have you money to buy catalogues with?



ROSE RIBBED PARIS SELF BLANCHING.



Golden Self Blanching Celery.—Packet 4 cts. ¼ ounce 8 cts.

## Superior CELERY Seed

Packets contain 1000 to 2000 seeds—1 ounce makes about 7000 plants.

**IMPROVED GOLDEN SELF BLANCHING.** Has no superior for an early celery and is equally valuable for winter use; an excellent keeper; it is a rapid vigorous grower with solid, heavily ribbed stalks of a beautiful golden yellow. Crisp, solid, brittle and delicious flavor; needs little earthing up to blanch yellow and crisp. ¼ ounce 8 cts. ½ oz. 15 cts. oz. 25 cts. ¼ lb. 85 cts. lb. \$3.25.  
**ROSE RIBBED PARIS SELF BLANCHING.** Almost identical with and equally as desirable as the preceding, the main difference being the beautiful stripes of rose on the yellow stalks which give it an attractive appearance. Rose celery is always fine quality. ¼ ounce 8 cts. ½ oz. 15 cts. oz. 25c. ¼ lb. 80 cts.  
**Improved White Plume.** Early, crisp and rich, fine flavor; grows rapidly and blanches easily in summer. ¼ oz. 5 cts. ½ oz. 10c. oz. 15c. ¼ lb. 40 cts.  
**Giant Pascal.** This is now the standard variety for winter market; heavy, broad ribbed bunches keeping splendidly all winter. Strong, stocky grower and when blanched is crisp, brittle and free from strings. ½ oz. 8 cts. oz. 15c. ¼ lb. 40c.  
**1900 Celery.** A strong, stocky grower with broad, heavy stalks which blanch to a handsome white; good keeper, fine flavor. ½ oz. 8c. oz. 15c. ¼ lb. 38 cts.  
**CELERIC or Turnip Rooted Celery.** Forms a root similar to a turnip which is valued for boiling to flavor stews, etc. ¼ ounce 6 cts. oz. 10c. ¼ lb. 35 cts.

IS IT USING COMMON SENSE to go to your store and pay 5 cents a packet for seeds which most likely have come back year after year until they have not vitality enough to produce a strong vigorous plant and most likely would not grow at all. By buying 25 packages of us you get them mailed at 2½ cents a packet. Ours are FRESH and RELIABLE.







Field of Our Evergreen Growing for Seed.

**New Early SHEFFIELD Sweet Corn.** Cross between the Early Adams and Cory being equally as hardy and earlier than the Adams and possessing the sweetness of Cory and absolutely smut-proof. Kernels medium size and well arranged on 10 to 12 rowed ears 6 inches long, of a delicious sugary flavor. Try this for a fine early corn.  $\frac{1}{4}$  pint 7 cts.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pt. 12c. quart 38 cts. By express qt. 22c. peck \$1.10.

**Henderson's New Early METROPOLITAN.** The originators claim for this is that it is the *Best, Sweetest and Biggest Yielder of all Extra Early Corn*. Much larger and harder than Cory and nearly as early. 2 or 3 large, well filled ears on each stalk.  $\frac{1}{4}$  pint 7c.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pint 12 cts. quart 40 cts. By express quart 23 cts. peck \$1.20.

**Large White Cory.** Much larger, better color and equally as early as the old Red Cory; kernels large, pearly white and fine flavor. Sells well.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pint 10 cts. quart 33c. By express quart 15c. peck 90 cts.

**Kendel's Early Giant.** Grand second early with large well filled ears 8 to 10 inches long and of a fine sugary flavor.  $\frac{1}{4}$  pint 6c.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pt. 10c. quart 22 cts. By express quart 15 cts. peck 80 cts.

**New CHAMPION.** This matures about with Crosby's Early and is larger and better; vigorous grower; handsome 10 to 12 rowed ears of a pure white.  $\frac{1}{4}$  pt. 6c.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pt. 10c. qt. 30c. By express qt. 15c. pk 75c.

Early Cluster Cucumber—Ounce 7 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 17 cts.

**Everbearing.** Commences bearing with the very earliest and continues to grow and bear all summer; medium size, extremely productive; an excellent sort for small pickles; solid, few seeds and fine quality.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 5 cts. oz 9 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 20 cts. lb 48 cts.

#### Bell's Prolific Pickling Cucumber.

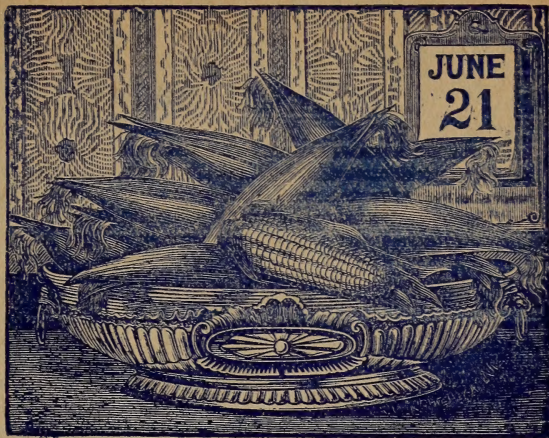
Best and most productive; fair size, good quality; good for home or market.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 5c. oz 8c.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 20c. lb 48c.

#### Chicago Pickling.

Early and very prolific; fine for medium or small pickles. oz 7 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 17 cts. lb 45 cts.

#### Climbing Cucumber

Vines strong growers throwing out numerous tendrils which cling to brush or trellises for support; fruit very long, large, crisp and tender and mild delicious flavor.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 6 cts. oz 10c.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 25c. lb 75

Early Maple Sugar Corn— $\frac{1}{4}$  pint 6 cts.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pint 10 cts.

**Early MAPLE SUGAR Sweet Corn.** Earliest of all. Sweet as the Sweetest. Very early, sweet, desirable for home or market.  $\frac{1}{4}$  pint 6 cts.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pint 10c. quart 35 cts. By express, quart 15c. peck 90 cts.

**Early Cory.** Old standard popular extra early. Sweet and good.  $\frac{1}{4}$  pt. 6c.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pt. 9 cts. quart 30 cts. By express, qt. 14c. peck 70 cts.

**Perry's Hybrid.** The most popular medium early, large well filled ears often called Early Evergreen. Best quality.  $\frac{1}{4}$  pint 5 cts.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pint 9 cts. quart 30 cts. By express, quart 14 cts. peck 65 cts.

**Stowell's Evergreen.** The standard large late for home use market or canning; ours is true type with two or three immense, 12 rowed, sugary ears to each stalk (Much sweeter than Western grown.)  $\frac{1}{4}$  pint 5 cts.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pint 9 cts. quart 28 cts. By express, qt. 12c. peck 60c. bushel \$2.25

**Evergreen Fodder.** This is western grown, (same as many seedsmen offer for planting,) grows large succulent stalks but kernels lack the sweetness of our Eastern grown. peck 50 cts. bushel \$1.50.

## Choice CUCUMBER Seed.

Packets contain 300 to 400 seeds. Ounce plants 50 hills.

**Early Russian.** Extremely early, productive, good. oz. 6c.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 15c. lb. 45c.

**Early Frame or Short Green.** Medium size, fine quality, good for slicing or pickling; early. Ounce 6 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 15 cts. lb 45 cts.

**Early Cluster.** Very early and productive; grows in clusters; nice size for pickles; continues bearing if picked. ounce 7 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 17 cts. lb 48 cts.

**Improved Long Green.** Long, slim and dark green; good slicer or pickler; grown more than any other. ounce 6 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 15 cts. lb. 45 cts.

**Peerless White Spine.** Well formed fruit, early, good for market or table; productive and sells well. Handsome shape, smooth, regular form, rounding full at the ends. ounce 7 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 18 cts. lb. 48 cts.

**Giant Pera.** Free from spines, unsurpassed in beauty and delicious flavor, smooth thin skin, thick flesh with few seeds, crisp, brittle and extremely mild, flesh clear white and solid.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 7 cts. oz 12c.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 28 cts. lb. 85 cts.

**White Pearl.** Clear pearly white from first; medium size, smooth, tender, mild and delicate flavor, productive.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 5c.; oz 9c.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 25 cts.; lb 70 cts.

**White Wonder.** One of the finest of pure white sorts, vigorous and hardy, long, handsome shape, fine quality, good for slicing or pickles; the fruit sets thickly on vines and is 6 to 10 inches long.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 6c. oz 10c.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 25c. lb 70c.

**Cool and Crisp.** Long and slim, bright deep green, an extra fine table or pickling sort; early crisp and tender; best formed and very desirable as a pickling sort.  $\frac{1}{2}$  ounce 5 cts. oz 9 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 20 cts. lb 50 cts.

BELL'S PROLIFIC PICKLING CUCUMBER—(best pickling sort)  $\frac{1}{2}$  ounce 5 cts.; oz 8 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 20 cts.





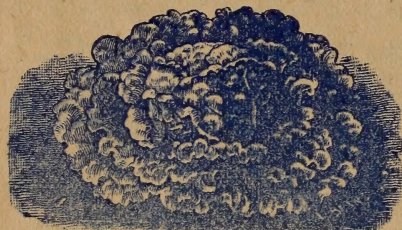
TOMHANNOCK LETTUCE.



Packets contain about 2500 seeds.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz any sort 5 cts.



DENVER MARKET.



FERRY'S EARLY PRIZE HEAD.



HANSON LETTUCE.

- Grand Rapids Lettuce.** One of the best quick growing sorts for forcing or early use. Makes a nice curly bunch of leaves. oz 8 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 25 cts. lb 90 cts.
- Ferry's Early Prize Head.** The most popular early sort; crisp to the outside. Forms quite large heads of the finest quality, with a reddish brown tint on the outside. Curly crisp and keeps well. oz 8 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 23 cts. lb 75 cts. (see cut.)
- Improved Hanson.** A fine, large, quick growing, butter-head variety. Has no superior for market or home use during summer. Crisp, mild, tender and remains in good condition a long time. oz 8 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 22 cts. lb 75 cts. (see cut.)
- Tomhannock.** This forms quite a large, close, compact bunch of brownish curled bright leaves. Finest flavor, crisp and tender. oz 8 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 25 cts. lb 80 cts.
- Salamander.** Good size, compact, white inside, stands drought. oz 8 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 25 cts.
- ICEBURG.** The surest and hardest header of all crisp heading varieties. Forms a nice, light green, fringed head, bleached to white inside. In crisp, mild flavor it is unsurpassed. oz 10 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 30 cts. lb \$1.00.
- Marblehead Mammoth.** Grows as large as a cabbage and very fine quality. oz 8 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 25 cts.
- California All Heart.** Handsome heads like pointed cabbages of rich color. Solid, rich and buttery; never bitter. oz 9 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 30 cts.
- Improved Defiance Summer.** Large splendid, solid heads, crisp and tender. Grows in hot weather when others fail. oz 9 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 25 cts. lb 90 cts.
- Big Boston.** A large, fine forcing sort which does best in cool weather. oz 10 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 35 cts. lb \$1.10.
- Denver Market.** Resembles a curly or Savoy cabbage. Delicate and tender quality. oz 9 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 28 cts.
- Mixed Lettuce.** Above and other sorts. Can use early while late is maturing. oz 7 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 20 cts.



MARBLEHEAD MAMMOTH.

## KALE or Borecole.

- Dwarf Curled or German.** (DWARF CURLED SIBERIAN or SCOTCH.) Low growing, finely curled leaves of a deep green. Tender, good. oz 9 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 25 cts.
- Tall Curled.** Very ornamental; beautifully curled and fringed. Fine quality. oz 9 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 25 cts.

## Brussels Sprouts.

Produces numerous small heads which resemble cabbages, and are highly esteemed for boiling in fall and winter.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz 7 cts. oz 12 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 40 cts.

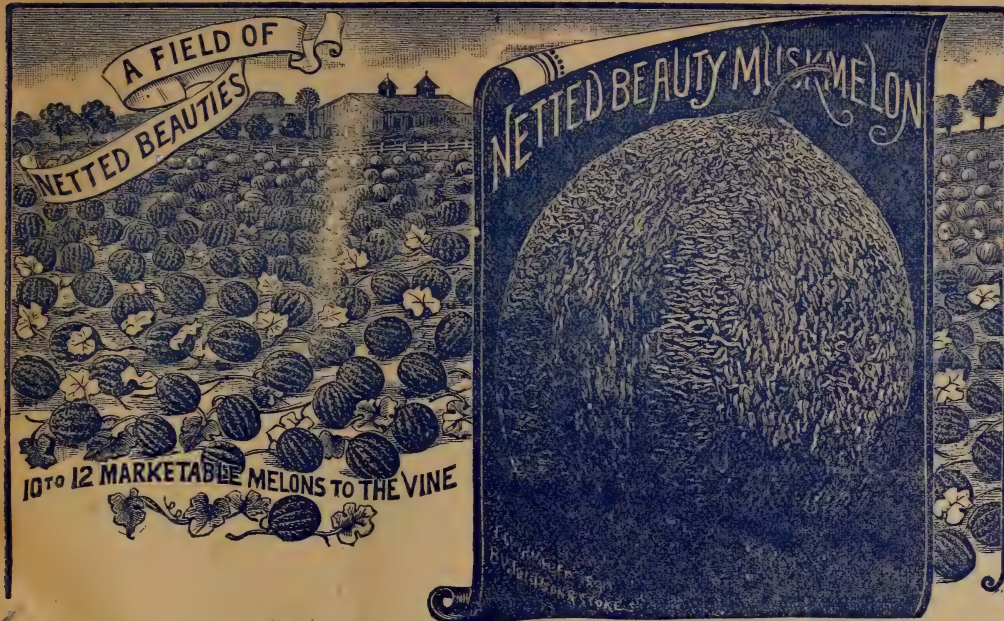
Any Vegetable Seed in this Catalogue, 4 cts. a pkt, 3 pkts. 10 cts. 5 pkts. or over 3 cts. a pkt. 25 packets or over 2 $\frac{1}{2}$  cents a packet 50 or over 2 $\frac{1}{4}$  cts. a pkt.



TALL KALE.



Selected MUSK MELON Seed.



**ROCKY FORD Musk Melon.** Most popular shipper, sweet and good. Prolific, thick meat.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 5c, oz 10c.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 20c. lb. 65 cts.  
**Princess.** Handsome, solid, thick flesh, rich salmon color, sweet and luscious; vigorous, productive. oz 9 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 20 cts. lb. 55c.  
**Netted Beauty.** Extra early, superb quality, very productive and desirable. (see cut.) oz 9 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 20 cts. lb 50 cts.  
**Banquet.** Medium size, round, beautifully netted; color rich salmon. One of the very sweetest. oz 9 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 23 cts. lb 55 cts.  
**Emerald Gem.** Very thin rind, flesh suffused with salmon; very productive. Unexcelled in rich, delicious flavor. One of the best and earliest oz 8 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 18 cts. lb 50 cts.  
**Jersey Belle.** An extra early, round, ribbed, deliciously flavored melon. oz 8 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 18 cts. lb 50 cts.  
**Bell's Improved Casaba.** Large sized, oblong, ribbed melon of rich, sugary flavor. oz 7 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 16 cts. lb 48 cts.

**Bayview.** Large, oblong, good. oz 6 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 15 cts. lb 45 cts.  
**Extra Early Hackensack.** Extra early, good size, round ribbed, flesh green, thick, firm and sweet. oz 7 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 15c. lb 45 cts.  
**Perfection Montreal.** Immense size, flesh thick, rich and melting; vigorous and productive. oz 7 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 15 cts. lb 45 cts.  
**Early Jennie Lind.** Earliest of all. oz 6c.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 15c. lb 45 cts.  
**Banana.** 20 inches long and 5 inches through. Flesh delicious, creamy white. oz 8 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 23 cts. lb 60 cts.  
**Shumway's Giant.** Monstrous size. oz 6 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 15c. lb 45c.  
**Delmonico.** Large, oval fruit; thick meat; well netted. Salmon flesh of rich, musky flavor, oz 7 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 15 cts. lb 45 cts.  
**Columbus.** Large, thick, sweet and melting, oz 7c.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 17c. lb 48c.  
**New Melrose.** Large, oval, netted melon of fine luscious flavor, thick, solid, fine shipper. oz 8 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 20 cts. lb 48 cts.

$\frac{1}{2}$  ounce any above Musk Melons for 5 cents.



PRINCESS MUSK MELON, handsome color; rich, luscious flavor. ounce 9 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 20 cts.

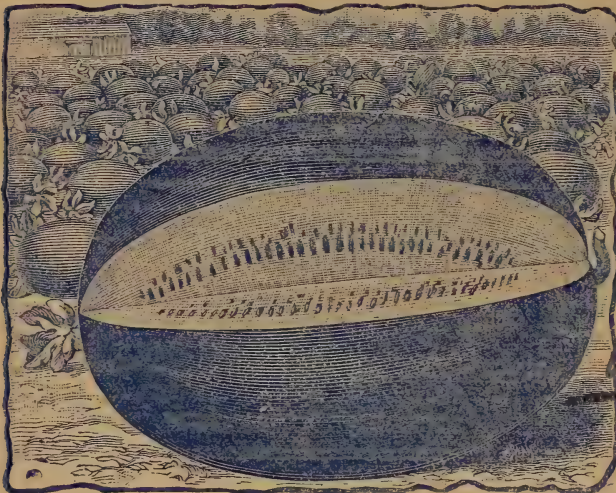


**LOOK** over our prices before ordering SEEDS. **SEE** the money we can save you on **Melons and Onions.**

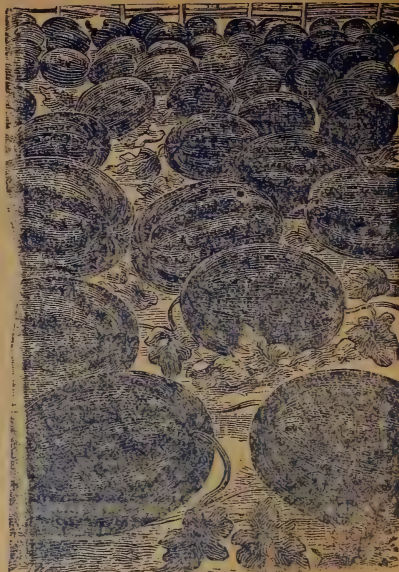
## WATERMELONS.

About 100 seeds in a package. 1 ounce plants 50 hills. 2 lbs. plants 1 acre.

- Vick's Early.** Early, solid, sweet, oblong, pink flesh. oz 6c.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 14 cts. lb 43 cts.
- Mountain Sweet.** Standard variety at the north where the large fruited varieties do not succeed well; early, hardy, medium size, oval, sweet. oz 5 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 12 cts. lb 40c.
- The Boss.** Hardy, oblong, medium size, productive, sweet. oz 5c.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 12 cts. lb 40c.
- Ruby Gold.** Oblong melon often weighing 40 pounds; yellow flesh with reddish veining, rich and tender, melts like cream in the mouth.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 5c. oz 8c.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 20c. lb 50c.
- Christmas.** Thin, tough rind, rich, sugary flavor, great keeper. oz. 7 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 18 cts.
- Cuban Queen.** A popular shipping melon in the south; large size, often weighing 100 pounds; flesh bright red, firm and of luscious quality. oz. 6 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 15 cts. lb 45 cts.
- Ice Cream or Peerless.** Thin, dark skin; white seeded; flesh deep pink, sweet, melting and solid to the center. ounce 6 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 15 cts. lb 42 cts. by mail.
- Kolb Gem.** Extensively grown in the south for shipping. Large, mottled skin, flesh bright red but somewhat coarse; very productive. oz 6 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 15 cts. lb 45 cts.
- Scaly Bark.** Good bearer and solid. oz 5 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 13 cts. lb 40 cts.
- Green and Gold.** A good sized, deliciously flavored early melon. Flesh a rich lemon-yellow sweet and juicy. (see cut below). oz. 8 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 18 cts. lb 48 cts.
- Hungarian Honey.** Early, rich honey flavor, small, hardy. oz 8 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 20c. lb 50c.



Field of Green and Gold Watermelon—ounce 8 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 18 cts.



### 1900 SHIPPER Watermelon.

The above illustration of a field of our 1900 SHIPPER gives you an idea of its large size and productiveness: fruit nearly two foot in length and handsomely striped; bright red flesh of excellent quality.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 5 cts. oz 9 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 25 cts. lb 75c.

**Dixie Watermelon.** Large, solid and sweet; a good keeper and shipper. oz 6 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 15 cts. lb. 45 cts.

**Mammoth Iron Clad.** Very large, solid, crisp and sweet; a good melon to eat or ship. oz 7 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 15 cts. lb 45 cts.

**COLES EARLY.** Best, earliest and surest to ripen crop at the north; small and sweet. oz 8 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 17 cts. lb 50 cts.

## Superior----- ONION SEED.

We are making a specialty of **CHOICE ONION SEED** which is **Fresh, Plump, True to Name and of the highest germinating quality.**

### Best Extra Large ONION. PRIZETAKER or SPANISH KING.

This is everywhere recognized as the **BEST** large variety; it grows fully three times as large as Yellow Globe Danvers but is several weeks later in maturing. It will yield under favorable conditions 1000 to 1500 bushels an acre, many weighing as high as 5 pounds each. Owing to its fine appearance and mild delicate flavor it always commands the highest market price. Flesh a pure, sparkling white mild and tender. Our price is for best American grown seed of the **GENUINE PRIZETAKER or SPANISH KING.**  $\frac{1}{2}$  ounce 10 cts. 1 ounce 18 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45 cts. lb. \$1.53.

### Australian Brown.

An extra hardy long keeper that has come rapidly into prominence in the last few years. It is said to bottom well where others fail and will keep till the next season's crop is ready to harvest. Pale reddish brown, medium size, hard and solid, ripens early and early, nice form, good flavor.  $\frac{1}{2}$  ounce 7 cts. 1 ounce 12 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 35 cts. pound \$1.25.

**TRY our ONION SEED This Season.**





# RELIABLE ONION SEED--CONTINUED.

Packages contain from 1500 to 2000 seeds. 1 ounce sows 100 to 150 feet of drill. About 5 pounds is sown to the acre.



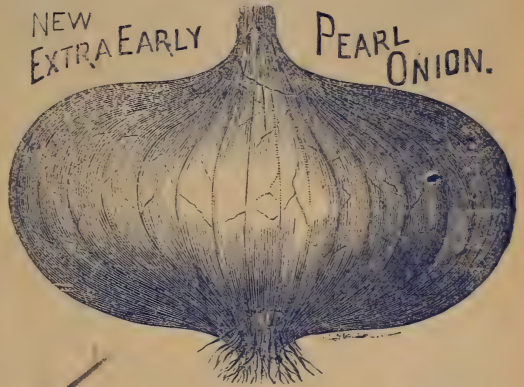
Selected Yellow Globe Danvers Onion.

This is the Great Onion for general crop, the first essential is GOOD, FRESH, HIGH-BRED SEEDS: ours can be relied upon as equal to the very best grown and produces handsome globe-shaped onions 2 to 3 inches in diameter with small necks and of a beautiful yellow color. The flavor is very mild and desirable: this is the best onion for general crop in the East.  $\frac{1}{2}$  ounce 5 cts. oz. 9 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25 cts. lb. 90 cts. by mail. Lots of 5 pounds or over by express at 75 cents a pound.

**ALL VEGETABLE SEED** in this Catalogue is put up in ordinary size packets and sold at the following uniform price: 1 pkt. 4 cts.; 3 packets for 10 cts.; 5 pkts. or over at 3 cents a pkt. 25 pkts. or over at 2 $\frac{1}{2}$  cts. a packet; 50 packets or over at 2 $\frac{1}{4}$  cts. a packet. At these prices purchasers select any varieties of vegetable seed in this catalogue and we mail them postpaid.

Where 100 packages or over are ordered by express we sell them for 2 cents a packet.

NEW EXTRA EARLY PEARL ONION.



Extra Early AMERICAN PEARL Onion.

This remarkable variety grows to a good fair marketable size in a very short time. The outer skin is a pure waxy white while the inner flesh is a snowy white and so mild that it can be eaten like an apple. A fair keeper, succeeding almost everywhere. Do not confound our seed with imported Early Pearl which is a much inferior onion.  $\frac{1}{2}$  ounce 10 cts. 1 ounce 18 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60 cts. lb. \$2.35.



**Bell's Rapid White Pickling Onion.** An extra early, small pure white sort; matures by the middle of the summer. Bulbs are about one inch in diameter and of a mild delightful flavor. For pickling this is unsurpassed.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 8 cts. oz 15 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 55 cts. lb \$2.00.

**Bell's Extra Early Red.** This grows similar to Red Wethersfield but is at least two weeks earlier; it is an abundant yielder, keeps well, nice bright red color, close fine grained, good flavor and desirable for market or home use.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 6 cts. oz 10 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 28 cts. lb 95 cts.

**Large Red Wethersfield Onion.** This is the standard onion for general crop in the West. It grows to a good size, is a sure cropper, solid and heavy and one of the very best of keepers. The outer skin is a deep, rich purplish red while the inner flesh is a pure white slightly tinted. Our stock of this can not be surpassed. 1 ounce 9 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 25 cts. lb 95 cts. 5 lbs. by ex. \$4.00.

**Early White Queen.** Mild, extra early, flat; produces onions 1 to 2 inches in diameter by the middle of summer. Good for pickling.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 10 cts. oz 18 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 55 cts. lb \$2.00.

**Yellow Round Danvers.** Rather early, good size, fine keeper. Very similar to Globe Danvers but flatter. Productive. 1 ounce 9 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 25 cts. lb 90 cts.

**Southport Large Red Globe.** A very large, beautiful, globe shaped, purplish-crimson onion of excellent quality and a good keeper. Owing to its large, handsome appearance it always commands a high market price.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 8 cts. oz 15 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 45 cts. lb \$1.50.

**Southport Large White Globe.** Similar to Red Globe except that it has a silvery, paper white skin. Onions sell for big prices.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 8 cts. oz 15 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 50 cts. lb \$1.65.

**Mammoth Silver King Onion.** Weighs 2 to 4 lbs. and so mild they can be eaten raw. White skin and white flesh; rather early.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 10 cts. oz 18 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 60 cts. lb \$2.25.

**Mammoth Pompeii.** Enormous size, fine grained, mild, beautiful white flesh and thin, reddish skin.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 8 cts. oz 15 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 50 cts. lb \$1.85.

**Giant Red Rocca.** Giant in size, mild delicate flavor; handsome, globular shape and very good keeper. (see illustration)  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 6 cts. oz 10 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 35 cts. lb \$1.25.

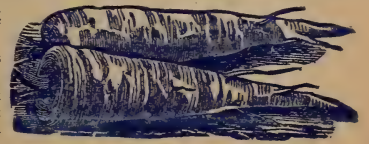


## PARSNIP.

Packages contain nearly 1000 seeds. 1 ounce will sow about 200 feet of drill. Parsnip seed must be fresh or it is worthless.

**Long Hollow Crown.** Roots large, long and tapering to point. This is a popular sort of uniform growth very productive and of a rich sugary flavor. (see illustration). 1 ounce 6 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 15 cts. lb 43 cts.

**Improved Guernsey.** Fine strain and great yielder; while not so long as Hollow Crown it is thick, solid and of the richest flavor. Skin smooth and free from side roots. 1 ounce 7 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 17 cts. lb 45 cts.



Hollow Crown Parsnip.

**Mustard.** White. Preferred for salads or culinary purposes. 1 ounce 5 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 15 cts. lb 40 cts.

**Brown Mustard.** Used in commerce, being stronger than white. 1 ounce 5 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 15 cts. lb 40 cts.

**PARSLEY.** Tripple Moss Curled. Best and handsomest sort grown; finely curled. 1 ounce 10 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 35 cts.

**Giant Curled.** Good sort. 1 ounce 8 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 20 cts. **Emerald.** Dwarf, ornamental. 1 ounce 7 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 18 cts.

If you have never planted our seeds READ the Letters from those who have.



# FANCY, SELECTED, HAND-PICKED PEAS.



NOTT'S EXCELSIOR.



TELEPHONE.

1 quart sows from 75 to 100 feet of drill. 2 bushels is sown per acre in drills. Mailed postpaid at these prices. If you order by express deduct 16 cts. a quart.

- Bell's Extra Early.** Unsurpassed in earliness, and the best extra early for market growers. 2 feet high, productive, ripens evenly.  $\frac{1}{4}$  pint 6 cts.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pt. 10 cts. quart 35 cts.
- Alaska.** Extra early, round, blue pea of very fair quality; grows about 2 ft. high, ripens evenly. Popular for canning.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pint 10 cts. quart 35 cts.
- American Wonder.** Earliest wrinkled; sweet; 6 inches high.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pt. 12 cts. quart 40 cts.
- Nott's Excelsior.** Best, sweetest and most productive extra early wrinkled sort. Only a few days later than American Wonder and bears twice as much.  $\frac{1}{4}$  pt 7c.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pt. 12 cts. quart 40 cts.
- Premium Gem.** Fine early wrinkled sort, about a week behind extra earlies. Productive and good for home or market.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pint 10 cts. quart 35 cts.
- McLean's Advancer.** Great favorite with market growers. Productive, good quality and about 10 days behind extra earlies.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pint 10 cts. quart 33 cts.
- Horsford's Market Garden.** Branching, productive, wrinkled, second early. Usually bearing in clusters of 3 pods each. About 2 ft. high.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pint 10 cts. quart 33 cts. (see cut)
- Bliss' Everbearing.** One of the best; strong, stocky growth; large wrinkled peas, very sweet; medium early; continues bearing long.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pint 7c.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pt. 12 cts. quart 35 cts. (see cut.)

## WHOLESALE PRICE OF PEAS.

At these prices they are sent by Express or Freight purchaser paying charges.

	Quart.	Peck.	Bush.
Bell's Extra Early.....	\$ .18	\$ 1.25	\$ 4.50
Alaska.....	.18	1.35	4.75
Bliss' Everbearing.....	.18	1.20	4.35
McLeans Advancer.....	.18	1.20	4.35
Telephone.....	.22	1.50	5.50
Champion of England.....	.15	1.10	4.00
Black-Eyed Marrowfats.....	.12	.75	2.85

**Bliss' Abundance.** Branching, strong grower, loaded with well filled pods of luscious peas. Medium early, 2 ft. high.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pint 11 cts. quart 35 cts.

**Telephone.** An enormous bearer, loaded with great pods each containing 8 to 12 large, sweet, wrinkled peas. 3 feet tall.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pint 12 cts. quart 40 cts.

**Champion of England.** The best standard tall pea for family use or market. Finest flavor and a great bearer. Rather late  $\frac{1}{2}$  pint 9 cts. quart 30 cts.

**Edible Pod Sugar.** Pods sweet, eaten same as string beans.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pint 15 cts. quart 45 cts.

**Black-Eyed Marrowfat.** Old productive field sort.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pint 8 cts. quart 28 cts.

Good, new peas like we offer are scarce and high this season.



HORSFORD'S MARKET GARDEN.



BLISS' EVERBEARING PEA— $\frac{1}{2}$  pint 12 cts. quart 35 cts. by mail.





PROCOPP'S GIANT PEPPER.

## PEPPER.

- ✓ **Golden Upright.** A large; productive, pleasant flavored, yellow variety. Similar to old Golden Dawn but larger, with upright fruit.  $\frac{3}{4}$  oz. 7c.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 12 cts. oz. 20 cts.
- ✓ **Procopp's Giant.** Mammoth size, scarlet color, flesh  $\frac{1}{4}$  in. thick, pleasant flavor. 8 to 12 large perfect peppers from 7 to 10 inches long and 3 inches thick, on each plant  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 8 cts.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 15 cts. oz. 25 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 70 cts.
- ✓ **Large Bell or Bull Noze.** Early, large, glossy red; suitable for stuffing with cabbages, etc. One of the most satisfactory for home use.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 8 cts. oz. 15c.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c.
- ✓ **Long Red.** Small, hot.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 8 cts. oz. 15 cts.
- ✓ **Mammoth Golden Queen.** Perfect shape, uniform size, bright, waxy yellow; mild and delicate flavor; 8 to 10 inches long and 4 to 5 through, with 10 to 15 fruits on a plant.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 8 cts.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 15c. oz. 25 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.
- ✓ **Mammoth Ruby King.** Plants loaded with bright, ruby red peppers of immense size and mild delightful flavor. The most popular sort grown for mangoes; thick meat crisp and tender.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 7 cts.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 12c. oz. 20c.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60c.

✓ **Endive.** Green Curled. A hardy and desirable sort for home or market. The finely cut leaves blanch very readily to a crisp, fine flavor.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 7 cts. oz. 12 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40 cts.

✓ **Leek.** Large Flag. Strong growing variety, producing large, thick, good flavored stems. oz. 9 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 28 cts.

## Vine Peach

This fruit is about the size of a large peach, oval-shaped, and of a rich orange yellow. When ripe they fall from vines and have a rich flavor, so that many like them raw. For sweet pickles and preserving they are superb, and may be used in every way you would use a peach. They are easily cultivated, wonderfully prolific and sure to become

popular. Vines on which they grow are similar to Musk Melons and require the same treatment. The wonderful productiveness of a plant is well shown in the illustration. packet 4 cts. 3 pkts. 10 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 15 cts. oz. 25 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 65 cts.



- PUMPKIN.** Sugar. While this is rather small, averaging about 10 inches through, it is thick meat, solid and heavy, deep yellow color and sweet fine flavor. oz. 7 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 15 cts. lb. 40 cts.
- ✓ **King of Mammoths.** Sometimes weighs 200 pounds. This is also called Potiron Pumpkin and is grown for exhibition. Very nice color, solid, good flavored meat.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 6 cts. oz. 10 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35 cts. lb. \$1.25.
- ✓ **Large Tours.** Grows as large or larger than preceding, have been grown to weigh 300 pounds. Good keeper. oz. 8 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 18 cts. lb. 45 cts.
- ✓ **Japanese Pie.** The finest pie pumpkin; extremely sweet. Flesh deep yellow and best quality. oz. 8 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 20 cts. lb. 65 cts.
- ✓ **Connecticut Field.** The best and surest croppers for planting among corn. Good in quality. oz. 5 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 10 cts. quart 25 cts. By express 12 cts. quart.

**OKRA** White Velvet. Tall with long, slender pods. Excels in flavor and tenderness. oz. 8 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 15 cts. lb. 60 cts.



**Try our Best and Cheapest Seeds this season.**



Our French Grown Radish Seed is noted for quick growth and crisp, brittle quality.

# Radish.

Packages contain about 1000 seeds. 1 ounce will sow 100 feet of drill.

**Rose Olive Shaped.** Early, tender and excellent quality; olive shaped. ounce 7 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 15 cts. lb 35 cts.

**Vick's Early Scarlet Globe.** One of the earliest and best for forcing; mild, crisp, juicy and tender; stands heat well. (see Figure 7 in cut.) oz 8 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 18 cts. lb 60 cts

**Early Scarlet Turnip.** Grown more extensively than any other; grows quickly, crisp, tender and finely flavored. (Figure 3.) ounce 6 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 15 cts. lb 50 cts.

**SCARLET HUSTLER.** An extra early, bright attractive form of round red or turnip-shaped radish; we believe this to be the EARLIEST of ALL and the BEST EARLY for family use or market. (Figure 4.) oz 10 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 25 cts. lb 75 cts.

**Rosy Gem or White Tip Turnip.** Extra early, fine quality, handsome appearance, top a bright scarlet, bottom pure white. ounce 8 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 20 cts. lb 55 cts

**French Breakfast.** Excellent and popular oblong early sort; quick growing, mild, crisp and tender; about 2 inches long and  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch through. oz 6 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 15 cts. lb 48 cts.

**White Box.** Best white turnip-shaped, rapid grower, fine quality no disposition to grow pithy, can be grown thickly, very early. (Figure 8.)  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 5c. 1 ounce 9 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 22 cts. lb 60 cts

**Long Scarlet Short Top.** 6 to 8 inches long, brittle and tender. Old standard sort, succeeds everywhere, ready for use in 30 days (Figure 6.) oz 6 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 15 cts. lb 45 cts.

**Chartier or Shepherd.** Grow from 1 to 2 inches in diameter and 6 to 8 long; top bright carmine shading to white at bottom; crisp tender and unsurpassed quality where they do well. (Figure 1)  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 5 cts. oz 9 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 22 cts. lb 60 cts.

**White Strasburg.** A fine long smooth white radish that withstands heat well; large size, crisp, solid and mild flavor; slow to run to seed. (Figure 2.) oz 8 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 18 cts. lb 55 cts

**White Lady Finger.** Very popular white, grows long slim smooth and handsome; rather early and of the finest, crispest quality. TRY THIS!  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 5c. oz 9c.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 23c. lb 60 cts.

**Giant White Stuttgart.** Grows large as a Rura Baga Turnip; solid, pure white. oz 8 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 20 cts. lb 55 cts.

**Mixed Radish Seed.** All above Summer varieties mixed. By sowing together you can pull early ones first and so prolong the season. oz 5 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 15 cts. lb 45 cts.

## WINTER RADISHES.

**Chinese Rose.** Large size, upper portion bright scarlet shading to carmine rose at bottom. Flesh white, crisp, solid, keeps well. oz 7 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 18 cts. lb. 55 cts. (Figure 5.)

**California Mammoth.** Very large, long, pure white variety of good quality; sow by July 1st. and you will have radishes all winter.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 5c. oz 9c.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 20 cts. lb 55 cts.

**Long Black Spanish.** Old variety liked by many for its peculiar flavor; will keep till spring. oz 7 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 18 cts. lb 50c.

## What Others Think

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Your seeds are extremely cheap in price; I never had any poor seeds from you, they were always good.

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IT MAKES US SMILE, after about 20 years actual experience in growing and selling seeds, to take up the catalogue of some new seed firm and see how they dote on their superior seeds, telling you to beware of poor, cheap seeds, etc. Nearly every one of them buy the cheapest stuff they can get at jobbing houses-and as to their knowledge of seeds-they scarcely know a cornstalk and pumpkin vine apart.

## Squash.

Package plants 8 to 10 hills.  
1 ounce plants 25 to 30 hills.

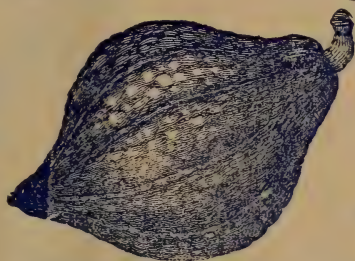
**Early White Bush Scalloped.** Early, good shipper. oz 6 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 15 cts. lb 50 cts.  
**Golden Summer Crookneck.** The standard summer sort, grown more extensively than any other. Fine quality. oz 6 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 15 cts. lb 50 cts.  
**Giant Summer Crookneck.** Similar to Crookneck but 2 to 3 times as large; vines are strong vigorous growers and produce a large crop of mammoth fruit. ounce 8 cts;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 18 cts. lb 50 cts. (See Cut.)  
**New White Crookneck.** Very fine white. oz 9 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 25 cts.  
**Red China.** Productive small fine flavored sort. oz 7 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 18 cts. lb 48 cts.  
**Fordhook Squash.** Bright yellow outside, straw yellow inside; good at all stages of its growth, and the best of keepers. Meat thick, sweet, solid and distinctly rich in flavor. Fried Fordhook is relished by all.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 5 cts. oz 9 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 20 cts. lb 60 cts.  
**Early Orange Marrow.** Two weeks earlier and much more productive than Boston Marrow. Skin deep rich orange; flesh thick, fine grained and good quality. From Sep. to Jan. they are in their prime. oz 6 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 15 cts. lb 55 cts.  
**Faxon Squash.** Outerskin varying yellow and green; inner flesh rich yellow and very sweet and dry. Good at all ages; keeps well. oz 7 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 15 cts. lb 45 cts.  
**Marblehead.** This is an old standard sort and one of the best keepers of all. Larger than Hubbard; sweet, good flavor and productive. oz 6 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 15 cts. lb 50 cts.

### 3 GOOD HUBBARD 3 SQUASHES.

**Chicago Warty Hubbard.** This resembles the old Hubbard but the skin is much more heavily warted. Excellent quality, handsome appearance, splendid keeper. oz 8 cts;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 20 cts. lb 60 cts.

**Golden Hubbard.** Similar to above but skin is a rich orange yellow turning to deep salmon red. Very productive, fine quality and popular in market. oz 8 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 20 cts. lb 60 cts.

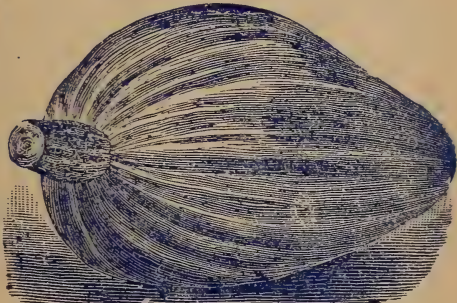
**Improved Hubbard.** No squash has ever enjoyed the popularity of the Hubbard and none has ever become so well known. Vines are strong and vigorous; fruit medium size and shape as shown in the illustration, with dark green skin and very rich flesh. An excellent keeper and as dry and mealy as a Sweet Potato. ounce 6 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 18 cts. lb 50 cts.



IMPROVED HUBBARD SQUASH.



GIANT SUMMER CROCKNECK.



SIBLEY SQUASH—oz 6 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 15 Cts.

**Sibley or Pikes Peak Squash.** Skin olive green while the flesh is golden yellow, dry, sweet and excellent quality. One customer says, "I planted a half dozen or so hills of your Sibley Squash, harvesting 75 perfect fruits of superb quality and as fine keepers as I ever saw," ounce 6 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 15 cts. lb 50 cts.

**Essex Hybrid.** Splendid for fall or winter use with creamy yellow skin and good flavored flesh. Flattened at the ends. oz 6 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 16 cts. lb 50 cts.

**Mammoth Chili.** The giant squash, on good soil grows to weigh 100 to 200 pounds. Handsome appearance and very good flavor. oz 9 cts. 2 ounces 15 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 25 cts.

**Livingston's Pie Squash or Winter Luxury Pumpkin.** Only 6 to 8 inches in diameter but immensely productive: of the richest, sweetest flavor and unexcelled for pies Etc. Flesh deep yellow.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 5 cts. oz 9 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 22 cts.

**Salsify.** or VEGETABLE OYSTER. Roots are a desirable substitute for Oyster soup.

**White French.** Standard, well known sort; white roots  $\frac{3}{4}$  of an inch in diameter and 8 to 10 inches long; good quality and desirable. oz 9 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 30 cts. lb 95 cts.

**Mammoth Sandwich Islands.** About double the size of the preceding and equally good in quality. The best and most desirable sort ever introduced; should be grown by all who relish it.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 7 cts. oz 12 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 40 cts.

**Rhubarb.** or PIE PLANT is grown for leaf stems which make excellent pies. Good size roots for transplanting can be grown in one season from seed.

**Linnaeus.** Extra early sort of good size and fine quality. Very desirable for early.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 8 cts. oz 15 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 40 cts.

**Large Victoria.** Stalks large, thick, heavy and of the best flavor; fine market sort.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 8c. oz 15c.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 40 cts.



## Spinach.

Popular for boiled greens. Sow in fall or spring: 1 ounce to 100 feet of drill; 30 lbs. to the acre broadcast.

**Round or Summer Thick Leaved.** An excellent early sort for spring sowing with thick, rounded, crumpled, dark green leaves. oz 5 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 12 cts. lb 35 cts.

**Thick Leaved Long Standing.** One of the most popular for spring sowing; leaves large, thick and fine quality. oz 5 cts;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 13 cts. lb 35 cts.

**Bloodsdaile Savoy Leaved.** An excellent hardy sort suitable to sowing in the fall for early spring greens. oz 5 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 13 cts. lb 35 cts.

**Prickley or Fall.** For fall sowing this has no superior. Will produce a large crop early in spring. oz 5 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 12 cts. lb 35 cts.

OUR PRICE PER PACKET is about HALF what others charge: 1 packet 4 cents; 3 packets for 10 cents; 5 or over at 3 cents each; 25 or over 2 $\frac{1}{2}$  cents each; 50 or over 2 $\frac{1}{4}$  cents each. FULL PACKETS, YOUR CHOICE, POSTPAID

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# TOMATO.

Packages contain about 800 seeds.

Our List contains all the Very Best Sorts.

**Bell's Extra Early.** Fine extra early red; fair size, good yielder and ripens up evenly and early.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz 8 cts.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 15 cts. oz 25 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 65 cts.

**Atlantic Prize.** Good extra early red.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz 6 cts.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 10 cts. oz 18 cts.

**Early Ruby.** Extremely early red; open growth of plant insures even and early ripening of crop.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz 7 cts.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 12 cts. oz 20 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 60 cts.

**Fordhook First.** One of the best extra early, smooth red: free from cracks, good color and productive.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz 7 cts.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 12 cts. oz 20 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 65 cts.

**BELL'S SATISFACTION.** We believe this Tomato possesses more good qualities than any other. A prominent grower who has tried every sort says, "It is the best large, smooth, red tomato for home, canning or market."  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz 8 cts.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 15 cts. oz 25 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 85 cts,

**BELL'S ENORMOUS.** This is not only the largest but the BEST large tomato. Very smooth, bright red, round form, 4 to 5 inches in diameter thick, solid meat with few seeds. Immensely productive, each vine being loaded with fruit.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz 10 cts.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 18 cts. oz 30 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 90 cts.

**Manfield's Tree or Climbing.** May be trained to climb 10 foot. Fruit large solid, medium early.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz 10 cts. oz 18 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 60 cts.

**Stone.** Extra solid, large late variety with handsome scarlet fruit. One of the best for market or canning. Ripens evenly.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz 8 cts. oz 15 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 65 cts.

**Matchless.** Beautiful large red, similar to Stone.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz 8 cts. oz 15 cts.

**HONOR BRIGHT.** Very distinct and valuable, especially for shipping a distance when it is picked while yellow before turning red. Solid, great bearer, good size, smooth.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz 7c.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 12c. oz 20 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 55 cts.

**Henderson's Ponderosa.** Mammoth size, deep red, solid, heavy, few seeds, good quality. Not so smooth as Bell's Satisfaction.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz 8c.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 15c. oz 25

**Golden Queen.** Fine large, smooth yellow.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz 8 cts. oz 15 cts.

**Golden Trophy.** Grand, large, smooth yellow.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz 10 cts. oz 18c.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 65c.

**Perfection.** Good, solid red.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz 8 cts. oz 15 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 50 cts.

**Livingston's Favorite.** A very popular, medium size, round, smooth red of finest quality.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz 8 cts. oz 15 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 50 cts.

**Dwarf Champion.** Bushy tree-shaped; early, fruit dark crimson, good size. Holds fruit off ground.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz 10 cts. oz 18 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 65 cts.

**Livingston's Beauty.** Probably the most popular market sort of all on account of its smooth, regular form and deep, rich, purplish-crimson color. Fruit 3 to 4 inches in diameter and very thick, solid and heavy and of the most excellent quality.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz 10 cts. oz 18 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 50 cts.

**Acme.** Similar to above but earlier and poorer. oz 12 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 45 cts.

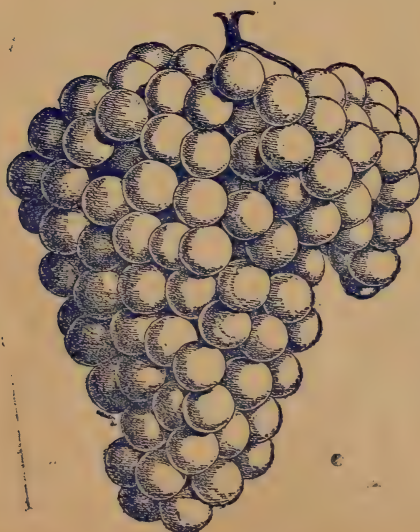
**Mayflower.** One of the earliest of the rich, glossy red tomatoes. Large, smooth and excellent flavor.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz 8 cts. oz 15 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 55 cts.

**Buckeye State.** Large, solid, good.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz 10 cts. oz 18 cts.

**Strawberry or Winter Cherry.** Very sweet flavored small fruit which grows enclosed in a husk and will keep all winter if remaining in the husk. Desirable for preserving, drying in sugar or eating as tomatoes. Vines are wonderfully prolific.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz 9 cts  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz 15 cts. oz 25 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 75 cts.



BELL'S SATISFACTION—pkt 4 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz 8 cts,



MOORE'S DIAMOND.

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### 13 Vines, Choicest Sorts, Mailed for \$1.00.

**AGAWAM.** Bunches and fruit large, dark red, very reliable, aromatic flavor.  
**BRIGHTON.** One of the most desirable early red grapes. Large, handsome.  
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**MOORE'S DIAMOND.** Grand greenish white grape. Early, hardy, productive, sweet.  
**MOORE'S EARLY.** Two weeks earlier than Concord and as good. Fine dark.  
**NIAGARA.** Popular white; ripens with Concord. Hardy, vigorous, productive.  
**GOLDEN PROCKLINGTON.** Good yellowish white; large, hardy, productive.  
**SALEM.** Red. Bunches and berries large. Early, fine quality and keeps well. Hardy.  
**WORDEN.** One of best dark. Earlier, larger and better than Concord. Healthy, hardy

One good, well rooted vine of each of above 13 Grapes mailed for \$1.00,

Your selection of any 6 vines above mailed for 50 cents.

Your selection of any 3 vines from above list mailed for 30 cents.

Vines healthy, well rooted, one year old. Should fruit in about two years.



# Turnip.

## Flat or Field Varieties.

1 oz sows 150 feet of drill. 1 lb sows an acre.  
Orders sent late as July promptly filled.

- Early White Flat Dutch.** Quick grower, sweet and juicy, firm and crisp. Similar to Strap Leaf except color; this being pure white. oz 7 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 13 cts. lb 38 cts.
- Red or Purple Top Strap Leaf.** Grown more extensively than any other, especially for sowing broadcast. Flesh fine grained, sweet and tender. Early and productive. oz 7 cts,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 14 cts. lb 38 cts. 4 lbs. or over by express 25 cts. a pound.
- White Egg.** An excellent white flesh sort. oz 8 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 15 cts. lb 45 cts.
- Amber Globe.** Large size, smooth, oval bulbs of amber color with light yellow flesh. Fine for stock feeding or table. oz 7 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 14 cts. lb 40 cts.
- Golden Ball.** Smooth, globe shaped, firm, yellow fleshed variety of sweet, rich flavor. Quick grower, fine grained. oz 7 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 13 cts. lb 40 cts.
- Long White Cowhorn.** 6 to 8 inches long and 2 inches through, growing half above ground. Pure white, crisp and sweet flesh. oz 8 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 15 cts. lb 44 cts.
- White Norfolk.** Almost large as Ruta Bagas, Good for feeding. oz. 7c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 13c. lb 40 cts.
- White Globe.** Large globe shaped, 6 inches in diameter with smooth, white skin. Flesh pure white, firm, crisp and excellent flavor. oz. 6 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 12 cts. lb 40 cts.

Deduct 10 cts. lb. from above in lots by express.

You can raise several hundred bushels of these per acre by sowing through the corn and potatoes after last hoeing. Cheap food for stock!!

## Ruta Baga or Swede Turnips.

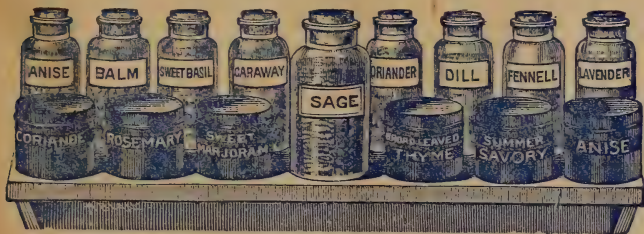
- Breadstone.** Fine for table, hard, sweet, solid, keeps well. oz 9 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 25 cts. lb 85 cts.
  - Carter's Imperial Purple Top.** Very popular, globe shaped yellow fleshed sort; largely grown for market. Solid and productive. oz 8 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 15 cts. lb 43 cts.
  - White Sweet.** Solid, large size, productive, very sweet and nutritious; excellent for table use or stock feeding. oz 8 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 15 cts. lb 45 cts.
  - Bell's Worlds Fair.** Extra fine, large, globe shaped, yellow flesh variety. Great producer and unsurpassed for home or market. oz 10 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 20 cts. lb 65 cts.
- MIXED TURNIP SEED. Ruta Baga or Flat. oz 6 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 12 cts. lb 35 cts.



AMBER GLOBE.



STRAP LEAF PURPLE TOP.



KOHL RABI.

- SAFFRON. Medical, etc. oz 15 cts.
- SAGE. Seasoning, dressing, Sage tea. 12
- SWEET FENNEL. Fish sauce, aromatic. 8
- SUMMER SAVORY. Seasoning, flavoring. 8
- THYME. Seasoning meats, headache tea. 20
- WORMWOOD. Medicinal, good for poultry. 15

**Corn Salad** Hardy quick growing plant, substitute for Lettuce during winter. oz 9 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 20 cts.

**Citron** Colorado Preserving Largest and best variety for preserving. oz 8 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 15 cts. lb 45c.

**Kohl Rabi** White Vienna delicate flavor. oz 15 cts,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 50 cts.

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## White Blackberry-Iceberg.

This grand novelty is sure to more than please every one who tries it. Plants are hardy, good growers and bend loaded with great clusters of the purest, snowy white, so transparent that the seeds, which are small, may be seen in the berries when ripe. Fruit is the finest quality, sweet, tender and luscious. Productive and ripens early. 1 plant by mail 15 cts. 6 for 65 cts. 12 for \$1.10. By express 100 for \$3.90.



NEW WHITE BLACKBERRY-ICEBERG.

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Same price by packet as Vegetable Seed.

Name	Uses.	Per Oz.
ANISE.	Garnishes, seasoning, confectionery.	.7 cts.
BALM.	Balm tea and Balm wine, fragrant.	20
BASIL, SWEET.	Seasoning soups, stews, etc.	15
CARAWAY.	Flavoring, confectionery. ( $\frac{1}{4}$ lb 15c.)	6
CORIANDER.	Garnishes, flavoring, etc. ( $\frac{1}{4}$ lb 20)	7
DILL.	Soups and pickles; aromatic.	8
HOARHOUND.	Seasoning, cough medicine.	15
HYSSOP.	Hyssop tea, etc.	14
LAVENDER.	Perfume, seasoning, medicinal.	10
MARJORAM, SWEET.	Seasoning, etc.	10
ROSEMARY.	Aromatic, for seasoning.	
RUE.	Croop in fowls, medical, tea.	15



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**808 White Perfection ASTER.** This is similar in flower to the prized Comet Aster but is very much earlier, being one of the earliest to bloom. Plants are about ten inches high, tree-like form; flowers a pure, snowy white, 2 to 3 inches in diameter, with full double centers and beautifully curled and twisted petals. Very desirable for bedding or cut flowers. pkt. 8 cts. 2 pkts. 15 cts.

**809 HOHENZOLLERN ASTER.** The BEST and LARGEST White Aster. Plants tall and branching with stems 1½ to 2 ft. long loaded with massive blossoms 6 to 8 inches across which resemble the finest Japanese Chrysanthemums. Unequalled for cut flowers. pkt. 10 cts.

**810 BELL'S GIANT STOCKS.** Plants large strong growers 2½ to 3 ft. high; branching, tree-like form, with exceedingly long spikes of enormously sized, very double flowers. Colors are black-brown, brilliant purple-carmine, golden-chamois, lilac-rose, dark crimson, peach blossom, reddish-brown and all intermediate shades to pure white and yellow. Highly recommendable for bed or pot culture. pkt. 10 cts.

**811 BELL'S ROYAL NASTURTIUMS.** An extremely fine collection of climbing sorts, embracing the best old and all the rare new varieties possible to obtain. pkt. 4 cts. ½ ounce 10 cents.

**812 "Shoo Fly" Plant.** It is claimed that flies will not remain in a room where this is growing. It is quite a pretty pot plant; blossoms cup shaped and of a lovely light blue. Good winter bloomer. pkt. 5 cts.

**813 New Zinnia "GOLD NUGGET."** These plants make a beautifully shaped compact little bush about one foot high, which is completely covered throughout summer and fall with bright, double, golden yellow flowers. One of the showiest of quick blooming garden annuals. pkt. 5 cents.

Above 6 pkts. New Flowers for 35 cents.



**CROTOLARIA or GOLDEN BUSH SWEET PEA--Packet 5 cents.**

#### 814 Golden Bush Sweet Pea.

The above illustration gives you a good idea of the beauty of this plant. Blossoms are a rich yellow, large as Sweet Peas and resembling them in form. They are produced in long racemes, 30 to 35 blossoms on a spike. Soak seed in warm water and start in a window or hot-bed and they will commence to bloom in summer and flower freely till cut down by frosts. pkt. 5 cts. 3 pkts. 10 cts.

#### 815 Bell's Royal Dwarf DOUBLE PETUNIAS.

The great objection to ordinary petunias is the coarse sagging plants; this feature is not found in Bell's Royal Dwarf. The plants are bushy and compact, 10 to 12 in. high and always loaded with large, double, beautifully marked and fringed blossoms of all possible colors and combinations of colors. As a pot or bedding plant it is one of the most desirable. pkt of 30 seeds 10 cts. 3 pkts 25c

#### 816 Royal Giant Heliotrope.

These are a great improvement on heliotropes heretofore known. They blossom much sooner, seed sown in spring should be in bloom by fall, and flower freely all winter; in fact, it is a perpetual bloomer. The immense trusses of bloom are often nearly a foot across, almost smothering the foliage. Colors embrace many brilliant, new and desirable shades. Deliciously fragrant. Good as a bedding or pot plant. packet 8 cts. 2 pkts. 15 cts.



**Bell's Royal Dwarf Petunias--Packet 10 cents.**


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 TRY AT LEAST A FEW OF THEM!



FLOWERS Worth Planting.

Both NEW and OLD.

# Bell's FLOWER Seeds.

 A few years ago we offered about 800 varieties of Flower Seeds. After growing them for years and studying our Customers wants we have discarded many as useless for ordinary gardens.

WE ARE EXTENSIVE GROWERS OF FLOWER SEEDS. WE KNOW that Carefully Grown Seeds like ours are worth Much More than the Job Stuff bought Anywhere of Anybody without regard to Age or Quality. If there are any sorts we can not successfully develop here we import such from the best Growers in Germany and elsewhere. NOT ONE IN FIVE of the seedsmen issuing large catalogues grow any Flower Seeds, (in fact they grow no seeds at all;) they depend on buying Cheap John Stuff from all sources. They expect their Big Catalogues and Overdrawn Descriptions to sell such Worthless Seeds.



THE MORAL IS, BUY OF US and get not only GOOD SEED but LOW PRICES.



## ABRONIA

1 Handsome Verbena-like trailers, rosy lilac with white eye, etc. pkt. 3 cents.

## ABUTILON

3 Fine Mixed. Pretty house shrubs called Flowering Maple; lovely thimble shaped blossoms, all colors. Blooms first year from seed. 30 seeds 8 cents.

## ACACIA

7 Mixed. Large class of flowering shrubs, some for house some hardy; delicate fern-like foliage; grows very rapidly and blooms abundantly. pkt. 4 cents.

## ACHILLEA

8 The Pearl. One of the best double white, hardy plants for cemetery planting or cutting. Blooms the second season from seed. Plant covered with hundreds of flowers which last a long time. pkt. 8 cents.

## ACROCLINUM

12 Finest Mixed. EVERLASTING or IM-MORTELLS. Pretty double rose and white blossoms If dried will last perfect for years. pkt. 3 cts.

## ADLUMIA

13 Cirrhosa. Called 'Allegany Vine and Mountain Fringe'. Rapid biennial climber with handsome, fine, delicate, feathery foliage, covers a porch for 20 feet and loaded with small, bell-shaped, pinkish flowers the second season. packet 5 cents.



## 14 - ADONIS

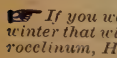
Bright little plants called Flos Jove, etc Blooms in 2 months from seed. Bright scarlet. pkt 2 cts.

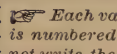
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Adonis Plant.

40 AMBROSIA. Stems covered with spray-like foliage as fragrant as a Rose Geranium. Useful in bouquets. Quick grower. pkt. 3 cents.

41 AMMOBIUM. Prized as an Everlasting. The blossoms which are about 1 1/2 inch in diameter are pure white and when picked just as opened and dried to shade will remain perfect for years. pkt. 3 cents.

 If you want a bouquet for your table in winter that will not fade plant Ammobium, Acroclinum, Helichrysum, Rhodanthe, Etc.

 Each variety of seed is numbered. You need not write the entire name just write the number that is before the sort you want and we can fill your order as well as though you wrote the name.

NOTICE the LOW Prices! We sell for 2, 3, 4, 5 and 8 cents a packet seeds that others charge 5, 10, 15 and 25 cts. for.

Our Packages compare favorably in size with any: we often give about the number of seeds they contain, especially when they contain only a few choice greenhouse seeds.

Annuals are those plants which blossom, ripen seed and die the first season.

Biennials produce plants the first season which bloom and die the second.

Perennials live year after and usually do not blossom till the second season.



## AGERATUM PLANT.

## AGERATUM

Seeds of this sown in spring soon make a mass of blossoms which hide the foliage remaining in perfect condition till fall. Makes pretty pot plants, if sown late will bloom in winter.

- 16 Lasseauxi. Compact plants, rose color. pkt. 3c.
- 18 Princess Pauline. Distinct and novel, only 5 inches high, flowers white with sky-blue stamens. Plant a mass of bloom, attracts great attention. pkt. 5 cts.
- 19 Little Gem. Dense mass, delicate blue. pkt. 3c.
- 20 Little Dorrit. Extremely fine white of beautiful and compact growth. packet 4 cents.
- 22 Swanley Blue. Good azure blue. pkt. 3 cents.
- 26 Canary Yellow. Unusual shade. pkt. 4 cts.
- 21 Finest Mixed. All colors. 300 seeds for 3 cts.

## AGROSTEMMA

23 Mixed Colors. Rose of Heaven. A useful annual for cuttings and bouquets. pkt. 3 cts.



## PLANT of ALYSSUM.

**ALYSSUM.** One of the best of all plants for a mass of white. Commences to blossom in 6 weeks from sowing and looks almost like a mound of snow, lasts in perfect condition till after hard frosts. Blooms well in house in winter.

27 Sweet Alyssum. Like the other sorts this is delightfully fragrant and remains long in bloom. Grows one foot high. 300 seeds 3 cents. 1500 seeds 10 cents.

28 Little Gem Alyssum. Similar to above but much more compact and uniform. Over 400 spikes of bloom have been counted on a plant. 300 seeds 4 cts. 1000 seeds 10 cts.

29 Floral Spray Alyssum. Grand, spreading, profuse bloomer. 300 seeds 4 cts.

30 Saxatile Alyssum. Called Gold Dust; hardy perennial; yellow. pkt 3 cts.



## Mixed Flower Seeds for MIXED or VARIETY BEDS.

These beds are quite popular, they give you a large variety of flowers at a small cost.

**789 HARDY ANNUALS.** 400 to 500 varieties mixed together.  
**790 HARDY PERENNIALS.** All best hardy sorts mixed.  
**791 CLIMBERS.** For windows, lattices, arbors, etc.  
**792 EVERLASTINGS.** With Grasses, to dry for winter bouquets.  
**799 GREENHOUSE SEEDS.** 100 to 300 choice sorts for house culture.



Large packets, of the 4 first sorts at 10 cts.  
 each or the 4 for 25 cents.  
 Greenhouse Seeds 25 cts. a pkt.



**HENDERI.**

### Antirrhinum. (SNAP DRAGON.)

Bears very beautiful spikes of gay colored flowers and makes a grand show in any garden. Seed sown in spring blooms the first season, living and blooming several years.  
**49 Mixed.** Gayest Snapdragons. pkt 4c.

### 51 Arabis, Alpina.

Earliest and prettiest of spring flowers with neat, spreading tufts of pure white. pkt, 3c.

### 91 Auricula.

A species of Primrose, also called French Cowslip. Hardy perennial and a favorite in Europe. Plants are dwarf and bear great umbels of beautiful, fragrant flowers. All rich and brilliant colors mixed. pkt. 5 cts.

### 93 Azaleas.

One of the handsomest and most popular evergreen house shrubs. Mixed. pkt. 10 cts.

REMEMBER the numbers placed before each variety is to order by and save writing the entire name.



**ROSE FLOWERED ASTER.**

### Amaranthus.

Rather coarse growing stately plants of a somewhat tropical appearance.

**37 Henderi.** Beautiful drooping foliage; rosy-carmine, orange, buff, golden yellow, etc. (see cut). pkt 3c.

**32 Salicifolius.** The "Wonderful Fountain Plant." Two to three feet high, pyramidal. Leaves beautifully undulated, varying from green, bronze, and later to bright orange red, forming magnificent colored plumes. pkt 4 cts.

**36 Tricolor.** (Joseph's Coat.) Red, yellow and green foliage. pkt. 3 cts.

**39 Mixed.** All varieties. pkt. 3 cts.

### 44 Alpine Aster.

Hardy perennials 7 to 9 inches high known as "Star of Switzerland". The daisy-like flowers are blue with yellow center, about 2 inches across, blooming in May and June. pkt. 5 cents.

### 46 Anemone.

One of the most brilliant of spring flowering hardy bulbs. Colors scarlet, indigo, purple, rose, white, striped, etc. Seed sown in spring should bloom the following winter in the house or spring in open ground. pkt. 4 cts.

### Ampelopsis.

**42 Quinquifolia.** Our American Ivy or Woodbine; a hardy, rapid climber. Probably no other plant has done so much to beautify the porches of American homes. pkt. 4 cts.

**43 Veitchi.** Known also as "Boston Ivy" and "Japan Ivy." Fine hardy vine; will cling to a house or brick wall. Leaves scarlet in fall. pkt. 5 cts.

### 54 Anchusa.

Resembles large, beautiful Forget-Me-Not. Annual 2 ft. tall. pkt. 3c.



**ANEMONES.**

## BEAUTIFUL ASTER.

*The Queen of Autumn Flowers.*

For numberless varieties, ease of culture and grand display throughout autumn, the Aster has no rival. The varieties and variations of forms and colors are almost endless. Our mixtures contain 200 to 300 distinct and perfectly double sorts which have carried off First Premiums nearly everywhere exhibited. A fine effect can be produced by planting tall ones in the center, running down to dwarf at edge, such a bed would be a mass of bloom for months; it can be produced by planting such varieties as Bell's Perfected Paenony for center, Victoria for between, Bell's Bouquet for edge. Our American Flag bed is prettier.

### AMERICAN FLAG ASTERS.

A bed of these is a sight of indescribable beauty. The plants are about 8 inches high, forming solid masses of bloom. No other plants can bring the Flag out so beautifully and distinctly. 3 packets, 1 RED, 1 WHITE 1 BLUE, enough for large flag. 3 pkts. 25c.

### AURICULA Blossoms—Packet of Seed 5c.

### ASTERS—Continued.

**55 Harlequin.** Odd and novel, blossoms double, prettily striped. pkt. 6 cts.

**56 Peachblossom.** Large, double, fine form. beautiful peachblossom color. pkt 5c.

**57 Carcadeau or Crown.** Showy, large and double; centers of flowers are one color while outer petals are another. Many bright and beautiful combinations. pkt. 6 cts.

**60 Hedgehog.** Blossoms are composed of long needle-like petals; all colors. pkt. 4 cts.

**61 Mount Blanc.** Large, full, double, pure snowy white. Packet for cutting. pkt. 5 cts.

**62 Paenony Flowered.** All shades of the most beautiful colors. Blossoms resemble handsome double Paenonies. pkt. 5 cts.

**63 Reid's Improved Quilled.** Handsome globular quilled. Mixed colors. pkt. 4 cts.

**64 Rose Flowered.** So called on account of its resemblance to a rose. Extremely fine showy variety. Mixed colors. pkt. 5 cts.

**65 Ball or Jewel.** Magnificent, flowers round or ball-shaped; densely double, 2 1/4 to 3 inches in diameter. pkt. 7 cts.

**66 Washington.** The Giant of Asters. Flowers 4 to 5 inches in diameter and perfectly double. Many colors mixed. pkt 6 cts.



**BELL'S BOUQUET**



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Plant of **SCARLET TRIUMPH ASTER.**

## **86 SCARLET TRIUMPH ASTER.**

This is one of the most beautiful and perfect of all Dwarf Asters. It attains a height of 8 to 10 inches, making a handsome plant. Flowers measure  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 inches across and are of the most faultless Paeony form, the petals being beautifully incurved. When first expanded the blossoms are a peculiar brilliant scarlet, changing when full blown to a deep satin blood scarlet. packet of seeds, 10 cts.

## **84 BELL'S NEW YELLOW CHRYSANTHEMUM ASTER.**

Heretofore the only Yellow Asters have been almost worthless. Our Yellow Chrysanthemum is one of the most beautiful imaginable and produces in the greatest profusion its massive curled and twisted blossoms which resemble hugh Japanese Chrysanthemums. pkt. 10 cts.

## **73 OSTRICH-FEATHER ASTER.**

A new and novel sort of great beauty; unlike any other Aster. The petals are long, slim and beautifully curled. In addition to our new white we have now some other choice shades, these mixed. pkt 10 cts.

## **817 NEW PINE TREE ASTER.**

Many pronounce this the most perfect Aster ever introduced. The plant is nicely shaped, remains in bloom a long time and the coloring is very rich being all combinations of red, white and blue. pkt. 10 cts.

Four above New Asters, 1 pkt. each for 25 cents.



## **85 BELL'S WINDSOR BEAUTY ASTER.**

Our Windsor Beauty Aster shown in the illustration above is beyond doubt the most handsome class of Dwarf Asters ever produced. The colors are vivid and strikingly beautiful in their arrangement, the outer rows of petals being of one color while the center of the flower is another color, thus forming many brilliant contrasts. pkt. 10 cts.

## **3000 VICK'S WHITE BRANCHING ASTER.**

This is a very late bloomer, coming into flower just ahead of Chrysanthemums and the resemblance is so close that they are often sold as such. The plant is a strong grower bearing its blossoms on very long stems making it invaluable for cutting; blossoms are pure white, extraordinary size, with broad, long, somewhat twisted petals. Will remain fresh a long time when picked. pkt. 10 cts.

## **75 BELL'S VICTORIA ASTERS.**

For size, color, almost endless varieties and profusion of bloom, these stand almost unrivalled. A recurved variety in which the petals appear to sit tile-fashioned, one on top of the other to the center of the flower. Colors include many delicate and gorgeous shades: flowers very double 3 to 4 inches across; from 20 to 40 on a plant. pkt. 5 cts.

## **88 MIGNON ASTERS.**

These are comparatively a new race of Asters but much resemble the Victoria but even surpassing them in freedom of flowering, producing 40 to 50 beautifully shaped, very double flowers with deeply imbricated petals, borne with indescribable grace. pkt. 8 cts.

## **82 BELL'S APPLE-BLOSSOM ASTER.**

The symmetrical shape of the plant and its extraordinary free blooming qualities are well shown in the illustration. A thrifty upright grower completely covered with beautifully in-curved blossoms of a lovely apple-blossom color; 3 to 4 inches across. pkt. 10 cts.

## **Other Desirable Asters.**

**68 GIANT COMET ASTERS.** One of the most popular and desirable of all classes, embracing every color from blackest blue to purest white. Blossoms resemble large flowered Japanese Chrysanthemums with their curled, twisted petals; flowers 4 to 6 inches across, very double, much larger and finer than ordinary Comet Asters. Colors mixed. pkt. 8 cts.

**70 Lilliput.** Very desirable for bouquets, flowers small, very double and produced in great profusion. All colors mixed. pkt. 4 cts.

**72 Schiller.** Fine bouquet sort; called Grace Asters. Mixed. pkt 4 cts.

**76 Black Shakespear.** One of the prettiest of all Dwarf Asters. Forms a compact bush 6 inches high and 10 inches in diameter; each plant forms a perfect bouquet. Globe flowered, almost black. .pkt. 6 cts.

**77 BELL'S BOUQUET ASTERS.** Each plant looks like a bouquet stuck in the ground. Embraces widest possible range of colors and varieties. Invaluable for beds and borders. pkt 5 cts. (see cut.)

**78 Dwarf Chrysanthemum Flowered.** Grows 8 inches high; forms perfect bouquet. Very choice variety. Many colors mixed. pkt. 5 cts.

**83 SCARLET PRINCE.** New, intense fiery scarlet, Plant pyramidal form, covered with 25 to 50 massive, dazzling blossoms. pkt. 8 cts.

**800 Rose Crown.** Center rose, outside blue, white, etc. pkt. 5 cts.

**801 Blue Crown.** Center blue, edge another color. pkt. 5 cts.

**803 Lavender Paeony.** Large; beautiful, incurved petals. pkt. 5 cts.

**3003 Queen of Spring.** Blooms in mid-summer; double. pkt. 4 cts.

**81 BELL'S SHOW MIXED.** Hundreds of choice varieties, including everything valuable, mixed. pkt of about 300 seeds 4 cts. 3 pkts 10 cts.



**BELL'S APPLE-BLOSSOM ASTER—Packet 10 cents.**

34 pkts. Asters listed here for \$1.50. Catalogue price \$2.24.

Your Choice of any 8 Packages for 50 Cents,



# MAMMOTH PERFECTION KINGLY BALSAMS. ❀❀❀

(Double Lady Slippers.)

OUR BALSAM SEED is saved from choice, double plants. Anyone accustomed to seeing only the old single "Lady Slipper" can imagine little of the marvelous beauty of the magnificent new large flowering sorts we grow. Plants are complete mass of bloom from the time they are two months old.

**94 Hallocks Alabaster.**  
Flowers about 3 inches across of great substance, pure white with a lavender tint deep in the flower. Blossoms almost smother foliage. (See cut.)  
Packet 6 cents. 2 pkts. 10 cts

**95 Bell's Defiance Striped BALSAMS—**

This is a rare mixture of striped, mottled and spotted sorts; probably the best collection ever offered. It contains the choicest of all the Prize Camellia, Carnation Solferino, Etc. sorts. Packet 6 cents. 2 pkts. 10 cts.

**96 The King.** Intense scarlet; one of the Royal Balsams. pkt. 5 cts.

**97 The Queen.** Lovely satin-like, apple blossom rose color. pkt. 5 cts.

**98 Yellow Rose.** Large, full and double; beautiful pale yellow. pkt. 5 cts.

**100 Double BALSAMS, Mixed Colors.** Finest assortment of all choice double varieties. pkt. 4 cts. 3 pkts 10

One package each of the above Balsams, (6 pkts.) mailed for 25 cents.

**25 SEEDS OF**

**LaFrance Rose Balsam**  
Large, delicate, double, rose-shaped. FREE with a 25 cent order, Ask For It.



PLANT of HALLOCK'S ALABASTER BALSAM.

## BEGONIAS.

**103 Gigantea Begonia Mixed.** Strong, upright grower. Handsome buds; massive blossoms 4 to 5 inches across. Flowers all winter. 150 seeds for 10 cents.

### TUBEROUS-ROOTED BEGONIAS'

One of the showiest of all pot blooming plants for summer. Blossoms large and showy some drooping, some erect, others in spikes. Colors rich and dazzling. Dry bulbs same as Dahlias in fall. 200 seeds 10 cents.

**112 BEGONIA, Mixed.** Large number of choice sorts. (Begonia seed is very small and difficult to grow.) 1000 seeds 10 cents

**113 BEGONIA, Vernon.** Flowers brilliant orange-carmine, foliage glossy red. Profuse bloomer. 300 seeds 10 cents



Bulbs of our GIANT FLOWERING Single Tuberous Rooted Begonias, 10 cts. 3 for 25c., 7 for 50c. 15 for \$1. Double Giants, 20c. each; 3 for 50 cts. 7 for \$1.00.

Bed of Tuberous Rooted Begonia ——— 5 bulbs of the Single and 5 of Double mailed for only \$1.00.





### CALCEOLARIA.

**134 Finest Mixed.** Gorgeous plants for window decorations; large pocket shaped flowers are borne in the greatest profusion through spring and summer. Colors, maroon, yellow, crimson, etc.; spotted and blotched in the most unique and beautiful fashion. pkt. 10 cts.

### 93½ BALLOON VINE.

An elegant graceful climber known as "Love in a Puff". pkt. 3 cts.

### 114 NEW SPOTTED GIANT BELL-FLOWER.

Elegant and hardy; pendulous bell-shaped blossoms are pure white with handsome striping of beautiful blue; as a bedding or single specimen plant or for bouquets or cut flowers it has no superior. Remains in bloom a long time; grows 2 to 3 feet high. pkt. 6 cts. 2 pkts. 10 cts.

### 116 FOLIAGE BEET.

Plants grow larger than the common beet, with leaves beautifully veined and marked; pretty lawn plant. pkt. 3 cts.

### 119 BIRD OF PARADISE.

Rich golden yellow, rare plant 2½ inches across the blossoms which are produced in large trusses. Attractive, large fan-shaped pistils of a beautiful, bright crimson color. Decorative foliage resembling Acacia. Start seed early and plants will bloom first season. pkt. 8 cts.

### 117 BIGNONIA or Trumpet Vine.

Grand hardy, woody climber; very picturesque and effective; handsome large clusters of orange-red and scarlet flowers. packet 4 cts.

### 121 BOCCONIA, Japonica.

Stately, half hardy, evergreen shrub with ornamental foliage and clusters of pure white flowers. 4 ft. pkt. 4 cts.

### 122 BRACHYCOME.

Called Swan River Daisy. Mixed blue and white; compact annual 6 to 8 inches high; fine for edging. pkt. 4 cts.

### 123 BRIZA. (Quaker Grass)

Hardy, with long racemes of beautiful rattles. pkt. 2 cts.

### 124 BROMUS.

Fine grass with hanging ears for winter bouquets. pkt. 2 cts.]

### 125 BROWALLIA.

Handsome, bushy, annual plants completely studded the whole summer with handsome blue and white flowers. Good winter pot plant. pkt. 4 cts.

### CACTUS.

**128 Finest Mixed.** Odd and curious plants. Nearly 200 choice species. Start seed in warm moist sand. pkt. 10 cts.

### CALENDULA.

A well known, robust, bushy annual; blooms from summer till frosts; showy flowers.

**136 Meteor.** Beautifully imbricated orange on yellow. 3c.

**138 Double White,** pkt. 4c.

**139 Fine Double Mixed.** 3



### CLARKIA.

**208 Double & Single mixed.** Very showy flower blooms quickly from seed sown early in spring. Many choice colors. pkt. 3 cts.



### COSMOS.

**244 Giant Early Flowering.** Handsome rapid growing, ornamental plants with pinnate leaves; fine for lawns, etc. Profuse and lovely fall bloomer. pkt. 4 cts.



### MORNING GLORIES.

**236 Imperial Japanese Morning Glories.** Blossoms of mammoth size and exquisite colors, running through every shade and combination of purple, white, red, pink and almost to black with combinations often striking and remarkable. Grow 10 to 20 ft. pkt. 6 cts. 2 pkts. 10c.

**238 Double Morning Glories.** All choice colors mixed. pkt. 6 cts. 2 for 10c.

**239 Mauritanicus.** Bright lavender blue; showy trailer for vases. pkt. 4 cts.

**240 Dwarf Morning Glory Mixed.** Small bushy plant 1 to 2 feet high, covered at midday with bright showy blossoms similar to climbing sorts. pkt. 3c. 2 for 5

**243 Mixed Morning Glory.** One of best old climbing vines for trellises arbors porches, etc. pkt. 2 cts. 8 cts. 4lb 20c (See also Ipomoeas.)

### CANTERBURY BELLS.

With the exception of Pansies and Pinks these are our favorites among the hardy flowers; there can be nothing more gorgeous throughout June and July than a bed of these. They grow to a height of 2 to 3 feet and are one mass of richly colored, large, bell-shaped blossoms. For bouquets etc. they have no superior.

**170 Mixed Colors.** This includes all varieties of Canterbury Bells both double and single. pkt. 4 cts. 3 pkts. 10 cts.

**CANDYTUFF.** This has always been an indispensable garden flower. Very desirable for beds cuttings and bouquets.

**153 New Empress** or the Hyacinth Flowered Candytuff. Spikes of loveliest pure white flowers. Grand sort. pkt. 4 cts

**154 Snow Queen.** Blooms from June till October; handsome tufts of pure white make each plant resemble a mound of snow. (See cut.) pkt. 4 cts. 3 pkts. 10 cts

**157 Carmine.** Very fine. pkt. 3 cts.

**158 Dark Crimson.** Choice. pkt. 3 cts

**160 Fine Mixed Candytuff.** Best sorts 250 to 300 seeds 3 cts. ½ oz. 10 cts.

**161 Sempervirens** or Evergreen White Candytuff; hardy, blooms very early in spring when white flowers are scarce. packet 4 cts.

**CAMELLIA, Japonica.**  
**147 Double;** large tropical house plant of great beauty; rose-like flowers. pkt. 10 cts.

### CAMPANULA.

Extremely pretty plants, loaded with bell-shaped flowers

**148 Annual Sorts.** Mixed, all colors. pkt. 3 cts.

**150 Pyramidalis.** Grand, hardy sort, known as Pyramidal Bell Flower. pkt. 4 cts.

**151 Cup and Saucer Campanula.** Comparatively new race of Canterbury Bells. Flowers large and beautiful resembling in shape a cup and saucer. 20 in. high. pkt. 4 cts.

**181 CELASTRUS.**  
Called "Climbing Bitter-Sweet. Hardy, woody climber; scarlet berries. pkt. 3 cts.

**CALLIOPSIS.** One of the showiest of quick blooming annuals; always popular and makes a fine show; the colors embrace every shade of brown crimson, yellow and orange. Continuous bloomer.

**141 Golden Wave Calliopsis.** Bushy, compact plants covered from July till October with hundreds of beautiful golden yellow flowers a inches across. pkt. 3 cts. 2 pkts. 5c

**143 Fine Double.** All choice sorts; pretty. pkt. 4 cts.

**144 Finest Mixed.** Every variety. 300 seeds 3c. 2000 10c.

**145 CORONATA CALLIOPSIS.** One of the most satisfactory yellow flowers grown; unlike any other Calliopsis. Flowers large sixty bright yellow deepening to rich orange at center, elegantly punctuated with maroon. Blossoms borne on long stems and stand out in bold relief above the wax-like foliage. Best annual yellow flower for bouquets and cuttings. Seed sown in spring blooms by June increasing in beauty till frosts. pkt. 4 cts. 3 pkts. 10 cts.

READ the letters in this Catalogue from those who have tried our seed: Best and Cheapest our motto.



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CANTERBURY BELL.



SNOW QUEEN CANDYTUFF.—Packet of 250 seeds 4 cts.



OUR SEEDS WON THE GOLD MEDAL at the Pan-American Exposition for Purity and Quality.

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## Canary Bird Flower.

152 The handsomest and most beloved annual climber; vines grow rapidly 15 to 20 feet by mid-summer and are covered with a profusion of canary colored bloom which resemble the expanded wings of that bird when in flight. pkt. 4 cts.

## CANNA.

The most popular large, stately plants for tropical effect in lawn beds. Soak seed in hot water, sow early and plants will bloom about August.

163 **Mixed Cannas.** All kinds. pkt 3c.  
167 **Dark and Red Leaved Sorts.** All with fancy deep colored foliage. pkt 5 cts  
169 **Crozy's or Gladiolus Cannas.** A magnificent, new, large flowering strain resembling Gladiolus in size but excelling them in brilliancy. Mixed colors. pkt. 8c.

## Celosia-Cockscomb.

183 **Mixed.** Some with feathery heads, some with large combs. Very interesting and showy; should be in every garden. Some sorts fine in bouquets. pkt. 4 cts.

## Centurea.

203 **Double.** "Double Centurea Cyanus or Bachelor Button." Very much handsomer than old single ones so common in many gardens. Best colors. pkt. 4 cts.  
186 **MARGUERITE.** Very distinct bushy variety. Flowers large size, pure white, deliciously fragrant, round, double and deeply fringed; almost equals the Carnation for cutting. pkt. 7 cts.

## Clematis.

210 **Mixed.** Containing all best sorts, as Jackmans hybrids, Paniculata, Flamula, Coccinea, American Blue Bells, etc. Seed germinates very slowly. pkt. 4 cts.

## Clianthus.

221 **Dampieri.** Magnificent and curious greenhouse shrub, with long, drooping, blazing, scarlet flowers. pkt. 10 cts.

## COBAEA, Scandens.

224 This is also called "Mexican Glory" It seems especially adapted for covering porches, trellises, etc. Planted in May it will climb till it reaches the roof of a two-story house, all the while bringing forth upon long, strong stems, blossoms of the most beautiful hue; crowning the flowery scene with a halo of glory. pkt 5 cts.

## 227 Coix.—Job's Tears.

Ornamental Grass, 2 feet high, with pretty hanging ears. pkt. 3 cts. oz. roc.

## CARNATION.

For delicious fragrance combined with rare beauty the Carnation has no equal.

173 **Double Mixed.** Hardy perennials, all colors, many of the delicate markings are exquisite. Blooms in house or out. pkt 5 cts.

178 **MARGARITAE Carnation.** This grand, new, perpetual flowering class has been greeted with a hearty welcome by all flower lovers. Commences to bloom in about 4 months from sowing and continue to bloom till winter; if removed to house will flower freely during winter. Our mixture of this embraces many large, handsome, double kinds. Best double mixed. pkt. 6c. 2 pkts 10c

## COLEUS.

These are the well known "Foliage Plants" so often found among house plants, which for groups on lawns, ribboning, etc. are so indispensable. If started early they make fine, large plants the first season.

228 **Mixed Varieties.** All sorts with foliage of various colors—maroon, green, crimson yellow, etc. veined and spotted. pkt 5 cts.

229 **BELL'S INIMITABLE.** Rare, new sorts with large, fancy leaves; richest and showiest colors. pkt. 10 cts. 3 pkts. 25 cts.

NEW SEED—EXTRAS in every order



CARNATION Plant.

## COLUMBINE.

Showy hardy perennial making a good display before roses in June. (see cut.)

233 **CHRYSANTHA.** (Golden Spurred Columbine.) One of our handsomest yellow flowers. Strong grower with long spurred, pure yellow blossoms. Remains in bloom a long time. pkt 5 cts.

235 **Queen Victoria Columbine.** An extra fine mixture of about 20 choice varieties. pkt. 3 cts. 2 pkts. 5 cts.

## Coreopsis.

236 **Lanceolate.** A beautiful plant for bouquets, blossoms large and yellow, borne on stems 2 ft. long—look as if floating in air. Hardy perennial. pkt. 4 cts.

## 245 Cowslip.

Great favorite with English people. Blooms early in spring. pkt. 4 cts.

## 246 Crepis.

Pretty, showy annual, blooms freely. Mixed colors. pkt. 3 cts.

## 248 Crucianella.

Produces clusters of pink star-shaped fragrant flowers. Hardy. pkt. 3 cts.

## Cuphea—Cigar Plant.

A greenhouse plant which blooms in the garden during summer and in house all winter. Very curious.

252 **Bell's Show Mixed.** Blossoms intense colors. pkt. 5 cts.

## 3123 CENTROSEMA, Grandiflora.

A hardy perennial vine of rare and exquisite beauty which blooms in summer from seed sown in spring, and bears in greatest profusion inverted pea-shaped flowers from 1 1/2 to 2 1/2 inches in diameter, and ranging in color from rosy violet to reddish purple, with a broad feathery white marking through the center and pure white buds for a background. Stems and foliage very graceful and have a delightful odor. Blooms till frosts in clusters of 6 to 8 flowers each. Does better each succeeding season. Blossoms seem like faces. pkt. 6 cts. 2 pkts. 10 cts.

## CINERARIA.

Seed sown in April or May make strong plants which are a sheet of the most vivid bloom the following winter. Colors are rich and range through all shades of light and bright blue to royal purple and deep crimson. Most varieties have a large, well defined white eye which always contrasts nicely with margin. (see illustration.)

204 **Cineraria Hybrida.** Choicest sorts mixed. pkt. 8 cts. 2 pkts 15c.

205 **Large Flowered Dwarf.** Blossoms extra large; plant dwarf, fine form, great bloomer; all colors. pkt. 10 cts.

206 **Double.** The best double sorts mixed. pkt. 15 cts. 2 pkts. 25 cts.



CINERARIA.

WE GROW Flower Seeds, for this reason we not only offer them Cheaper but we give you BETTER, FRESHER seeds



*When everything outside has perished and November makes desolate the verdure of earth, how beautiful then the bright, cheering blossoms of Chrysanthemums beautifying the home within.*



### CYCLAMEN.

The illustration above shows you one plant of our Giant Cyclamen. Seed sown in spring produces plants which commence to bloom in autumn, flowering freely till June, when bulb should rest for another season. They are the most delicately beautiful colors ranging from dark red to white, delicate blush and pink shades prevailing. Often the flower will be spotted or marked in other ways showing two distinct colors. Foliage very pretty.

**253 Giant Flowering Mixed.** Blossoms large and magnificent, much superior to that ordinarily sold. pkt. 10 cts. 3 pkts. 25 cts.

### Annual or Summer Flowering Chrysanthemums.

Showy annuals which bloom freely all the latter part of summer.

**198 Golden Feather.** Pretty daisy-like flowers 2 to 3 inches across, with dark velvety disk in center, surrounded by circles of golden yellow, crimson and white. Foliage a beautiful golden yellow. pkt. 3 cts.

**199 White Bouquet.** Blossoms very double, snowy white. Fine for bouquets. pkt. 5 cts.

**201 Annual Varieties Mixed.** Double and single mixed. pkt. 3 cts.

### 196 Perennial or French Daisies.

These are the "French Marguerites" or "Paris Daisies" so much grown for cut flowers. Blooms all summer out doors and all winter in house. pkt. 4 cts.

### Chrysanthemum Maximum or Great White Moon Penny Daisy.

**195 Hardy perennial,** literally covered all throughout season with a profusion of large white flowers. Splendid cut flower and will last in water for a week. Plants robust and bushy; 2 ft. high. pkt. 5 cts.

### 256 Cyperus.

The only variety we offer is the well known Umbrella Plant or Umbrella Palm which is very ornamental and grows readily and quickly from seed. pkt. 5 cts.

### Cypress Vine.

**257 Finest Mixed.** A beautiful annual climber with slender vines and delicate feathery foliage, from which the brilliant flowers stand out like constellations of stars. One of the best climbers where a neat, pretty vine is required, 15 ft. high. pkt. 3 cts.

**DONT overlook the 2 BARGAINS of Chr santhemums offered here.**

**6 Plants for 25 Cents.**

**6 Packets Seed 40 Cents.**

**50 Worth Fifty Cents. 50**

*I enclose 75 cents, please mail in April or May, in time for spring planting your collection of 8 CHRYSANTHEMUMS*

To \_\_\_\_\_

Send this Check to us with 25 Cents and we will mail you this Grand 75 Cent Chrysanthemum Plant Collection.

**50 Cents. 50 Cents.**



### SEED of PERENNIAL or WINTER BLOOMING CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

Seed sown early in spring should make good plants which ought to bloom well the following winter.

**190 Chinese Mixed.** Large, Double. pkt. 10 cts.

**191 Pompene Mixed.** Graceful, double. pkt. 10c.

**192 Bell's Royal Strain.** Seed saved from rare flowers of every type and shade. Try this if you want something nice. pkt. 15 cts. (see blossoms.)

**193 New Japanese.** "Royal Flowers of Japan." Very curious and beautiful; large, curled and twisted in handsome manner. pkt. 10 cts.

**194 Perennial Varieties Mixed.** pkt. 10 cts.

*One packet each of above 40 cents.*



# DIANTHUS.

One of our customers says "I am an old lady have grown flowers all my life; if I could have but one, I think I would

choose Pinks, there is so many beautiful varieties and they last so long. I have them in bloom from May till hard frosts"

## DIANTHUS. PINKS.

Pinks are among the most admired, brilliant and showy of garden flowers. They may be had in bloom from early summer till frosts by sowing every season the plants living through winter bloom early and are followed by those sown in

spring. The new sorts now offered far surpass those of a few years ago in size, brilliancy and variety. A few packets of our Show Mixed will give you a grand assortment, they comprise so many beautiful and showy sorts.

Price any sorts below, 1 packet 4 cts. 3 pkts. 10 cts.

276 **Mourning Cloak.** Magnificent double, blossoms dark purple, fringed and handsomely tipped with pure white.

278 **Double Heddewigii.** Large, nearly 3 inches in diameter; many brilliant, unsurpassed colors. An elegant acquisition.

279 **Japanese Pinks.** Beautiful double, striped and fringed sorts.

280 **The Bride or Little Gem.** Plants dwarf and bushy; loaded with large flowers of the most pleasing colors and combinations.

281 **Double Laciniatus Mixed.** These should be seen to be appreciated: rich in hue, endless colors, double, deeply fringed.

295 **Southern Belle.** A rich, deep flower, almost black; large and densely double; strong grower and profuse bloomer.

293 **Giant Fringed.** Monstrous size, extra double, fine form, pure white, splendid bloomer.

3036 **Henderson's Crown of Perfection.** Immense double flowers 6 inches in circumference, are produced in perfect succession during the whole summer. Wonderful diversity of colors, from purest satiny white to intensely deep and soft velvety brilliance and dainty tints.

294 **Bell's Show Mixed.** The largest assortment ever offered, including not only all the choice and rare sorts grown by us here but also those procured from best European growers. (Same price as separate sorts above.) 1 pkt. 4 cts. 3 pkts. 10 cts. — 300 to 400 seeds in pkt.



282 **Diadematus.** (Double Diadem Pink). Dense growth and dwarf habits. Very regular; all tints from crimson purple to black purple: often a velvet-like radiant fire impossible to produce.

283 **Eastern Queen.** Magnificent single flowers, 2 to 4 inches across, beautifully striped and stained.

285 **Snowflake.** Large, fringed, single white.

286 **Double Imperial.** Magnificent double sorts mixed.

287 **Laciniatus Mixed.** Beautiful, large, single, fringed flowers.

288 **Plumarius.** "Feathered Garden or Pleasant Eyed Pink;" large single fragrant flowers; mixed colors.

290 **Deltoides.** Beautiful perennial Maiden Pink.

291 **Double White.** Very large, double, pure white.

292 **Dwarf Double Mixed.** A grand mixture of the dense, dwarf, double varieties; unsurpassed for showy bedding or massing.

739 **Crimson Belle.** Very showy, nearly new.

One package each of above Pinks—19 packets in all—mailed for 50 cents. Your garden would astonish the neighborhood!

**DAHLIA.** Few people know that the magnificent double Dahlias they so often admire will bloom the first season from seed sown in spring. Everybody admires them and should grow a few at least. (For prices of bulbs see page "Summer Flowering Bulbs.")

258 **Rosalind Mixed.** Special choice, rarest new varieties only. pkt. 15 cts.

259 **Single Mixed.** All sorts. pkt. 4 cts.

262 **Double Mixed.** All double sort; large and choice assortment. pkt. 8 cts.

### DATURA—Angel's Trumpet.

Large, fragrant, trumpet shaped blossoms equal in beauty to our choicest lillies.

268 **Wrightii.** White center, lilac border. 3c.

269 **Double Mixed.** Magnificent. pkt. 4 cts.

### DIGITALIS—Fox-Glove.

277 **Show Mixed.** Hardy biennials producing dense spikes of handsome flowers 3 to 4 ft. high. Rarest new colors mixed. 1000 seeds 3 cts.

### DELPHINIUM—Larkspur.

Effective plants, producing long spikes of brilliant bloom; foliage pinnatifid. Hardy.

272 **New Sorts Mixed.** Choice. pkt. 4 cts.

273 **Formosium.** Rich, bright, beautiful blue and white, 2 feet high. pkt. 4 cts.

274 **Sulfureum.** "New Orchid Flowered Larkspur." Lovely hardy perennial; blossoms a rich sulphur yellow and greatly resemble the finest orchids. pkt. 8 cts.





**PLANT and BLOSSOMS of DAISY or BELLIS**

**DAISY.** One of the most popular of plants for borders, edging, button-hole bouquets, etc. Blooms from spring till autumn, and is almost as desirable as the Pansy. Perennial but flowers first season from seed.

265 **Double Mixed.** Seed saved from best double plants. pkt. 5 cts.  
266 **Constant or Ball of Snow.** Fine double white. pkt. 6 cts.

**DOLICHOS.** (Hyacinth Bean).  
299 **Lablab.** Ornamental annual climber; clusters showy flowers. pkt. 3 cts.

**Eragrostis-Love Grass.**  
Pretty ornamental grass growing 1 ft. high. Nice for winter bouquets.  
304 **Elegans.** Dancing spikelets. 3c.

305 **Erianthus.** Hardy ornamental grass, 9 to 12 feet high. 20 to 30 flower spikes resembling Pampas Plumes. Fine for lawns. pkt. 4 cts.

313 **Euphorbia.** "Snow on the Mountain or Variegated Spurge". Foliage veined and margined. pkt. 3c.

**ESCHSCHOLTZIA.**  
Known also as "California Poppy." One of our richest colored and showiest annuals; the yellow is unequalled. Foliage handsomely cut and beautiful silver green. Dont miss ordering this.  
310 **Mixed.** Gorgeous colors. pkt. 3c.

314 **Freesia.** One of the handsomest and sweetest of winter flowering bulbs. Easily grown from seed in one season. pkt. 4 cts.

333 **Globe Amaranth.**  
Desirable annual everlasting flower for winter bouquets. pkt. 3 cts.

321 **Caillardia, Mixed.**

Blossoms large, effective and freely produced the entire season; valuable in masses or for cut flowers. Choicest gay colored, large flowered sorts. pkt. 3 cts.

337 **Godetia, Mixed.**

Bushy, tree-like plants covered with a sheet of rich, satin-like blossoms, which run through all desirable colors. Bloom quickly from seed. pkt. (500 seeds.) 3c.

335 **GLOXINIA.**

A superb genus of hot-house plants producing in great profusion throughout the winter, beautiful flowers of the richest and most brilliant colors. Must be seen to be appreciated. Blooms in six months from sowing seed. Rare spotted, etc. colors mixed. pkt. 10 cts.

**FUCHSIA.**

Easily grown, showy greenhouse plants; succeeds everywhere.

316 **Finest New Sorts.** Double and single. Choice sorts. 30 seeds, 10 cts.

318 **Trailing Fuchsia Procumbens.** Flowers freely the first year from seed, and makes one of the prettiest trailing plants imaginable for hanging baskets. Vine graceful; flowers small followed by bright crimson-red berries large as robins eggs, which remain on and ornament the plant for six months at a time. 50 seeds, 10 cts.

375 **HOLLYHOCK.**

The fine new double Hollyhocks are among the showiest of all hardy tall flowers. Our new double ones are hardly recognizable by the old single ones; they produce long pyramidal spikes of rose-like blossoms and are unexcelled for backgrounds. All new bright colored, double varieties mixed. pkt. 5 cts.

364 **HELIOTROPE, Mixed.**

Well known house plants; blooms quickly from seed. New sorts. pkt. 5 cents.

363 **Helichrysum.**

One of the best of Everlasting flowers for winter bouquets. Will last for years when dried. Best double sorts mixed. pkt. 3 cts.



**EUPHORBIA.**



**FUCHSIA.**



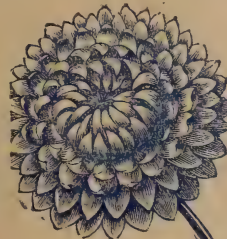
**TRAILING FUCHSIA PROCUMBENS.**



**GODETIA.**



**GLOXINIA.**



**HELICHRYSUM.**



**HOLLYHOCK.**





IMPATIENS.

or bath towel. It is almost indestructible. Fruit 2 feet long. pkt. 5 cts.

—GYPSOPHILA.

- 347 **Paniculata.** Hardy perennial 2 to 3 feet high, makes a great mass of thousands of spray-like flowers which last a long time, Useful in bouquets. pkt. 4c.
- 348 **Elegans.** No flower adds so much to a bouquet or seems so indispensable as this. White annual, blooms in six weeks from sowing. pkt 3 cts.

—HEDYSARUM—

- 349 A hardy perennial known as French Honeysuckle produces racemes of beautiful pea-like blossoms. pkt. 3 cts.

—HELIANTHUS—

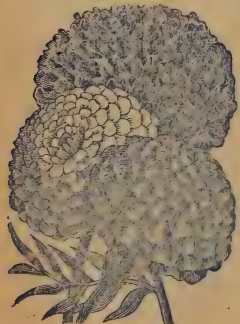
- 350 **Dahlia Flowered.** One of the handsomest Sun Flowers grown. Plant dwarf; foliage variegated; blossoms double resembling Dahlias. pkt. 4 cts
- 351 **New Miniature.** Small bushy plants loaded with small double flowers which scarcely resemble Sunflowers. pkt 4c.
- 352 **Oscar Wilde.** (Newport Corsage Sunflower.) Dwarf pyramidal form, with small, single flowers of golden yellow with black center. pkt. 3 cts.
- 357 **Mixed Sunflower.** All large sorts. pkt 2c. oz. 5 cts.

—HELIPTERUM—

- 366 **Mixed.** Desirable and distinct dwarf Everlasting with large, globular clusters of pure white and bright golden star-like flowers. Excellent for winter bouquets; when gathered just as opening and dried in the shade will retain their brilliancy for years. pkt. 4 cts.

—IMPATIENS—

- 379 **Sultani.** (House Balsam) This is a perpetual bloomer, flowering all winter in the house and all summer either in house or bedded out. Blossoms a brilliant rose-scarlet, 1 to 1½ inches in diameter, completely covering a well grown plant. For table decorations, etc. it is one of our finest flowering plants. (see cut) pkt 10c.



MARIGOLD.



IPOMŒA, HEAVENLY BLUE JR.—Packet 4 cents.

—FOUR O'CLOCK—

- (Mirabilis or Marvel of Peru.)
- 382 **Mixed.** Very showy old annual which opens its large blossoms at four o'clock P. M. pkt. 2 cts. oz. 10 cts.

—IPOMŒA—

- Very attractive annual climbers.
- 380 **Bona Nox.** Large, blue white fragrant flowers, called Good Night and Evening Glory; very much like Moon Flower. pkt. 4 cts.
- 381 **Leari.** "Blue Dawn Flower" A rapid and free flowering climber; blooms 3 to 6 inches across. Lovely. pkt. 5 cts.
- 383 **Heavenly Blue Jr.** While this is not so large as Heavenly Blue it is an earlier, better climber. pkt. 4 cts.

—386 IPOMŒA Setosa—  
(or BRAZILIAN MORNING GLORY)

This is one of the most magnificent of summer climbing annuals. Seed sown in May have covered a trellis 30 to 40 ft. high by Aug. 15th. Leaves 8 to 12 inches across and overlap each other forming a dense shade. Flowers a beautiful rose color; 3 inches or more across, pkt. 8 cts.

—JAPANESE HOPS—

- 388 **Humulus Japonicus.** A very rapid growing annual hop with handsome, variegated, green and white foliage. For a pretty, quick growing vine to shade windows, etc. this is desirable. pkt. 5 cts.

—GERANIUM—

Few people realize that these well known, popular house plants can be grown to good flowering size in 4 to 6 months from seed.

323 **Rose Scented.** Charming fragrance. Small pkt. 10 cts.

325 **Large Flowering.** From a packet of this sown in the spring, you may have in bloom the following winter a great variety of the largest and most magnificently marked flowers of the Grandiflora

- type. pkt (15 seeds) 10 cts.
- 327 **French Blotched or Odier.** Extra large flowering sorts, with petals blotched and spotted in the most unique styles. Very handsome, large flowers. 15 seeds 10 cts.
- 328 **Finest Mixed.** All varieties. pkt. 5 cts.

—LOBELIA—

- 401 **Mixed.** One of the best little plants for borders, edgings, etc. either for window boxes or garden. pkt. 3 cts.

—LYCHNIS—

- Perennials, very brilliant.
- 402 **Fine Mixed.** Large flowering, bright, showy sorts in best mixture. pkt. 4 cts.
- 403 **Chalcedonica.** Intense, glowing scarlet, quite deserving the name Burning Star. pkt. 3 cts.

—LINUM—

- 399 **Perpetual Flowered.** A beautiful plant rarely seen. Stems wirey, foliage delicate, blossoms seem almost to float in air and are produced in great profusion from spring till autumn. Colors delicate, white, rose, blue, pkt. 3 cts.

—Mesembryanthemum—

- 409 **Ice Plant.** Useful in hanging baskets, etc. quite pretty. (see cut.) pkt. 3 cts.

—MARIGOLD—

- 405 **Best Mixed.** All the best French and African sorts of this showy annual. pkt 3c.
- 406 **Eldorado.** Blossoms produced in great profusion, large as Dahlias and look like great ruffled balls. Blossom shown in background of cut. pkt. 4 cts.

—MOLUCCA BALM or SHELL FLOWER—

- 427 Curious old plant that excites much interest on account of curious flowers and large delicately veined calyx. Balm scent. pkt. 3 cts.

—471 NIGELLA.—

A free blooming annual with pinnate leaves, called "Love in a Mist," "Lady in Green," "Devil in a Bush," pkt. 2 cts.

—MOON FLOWER—

- 429 Very popular climber which attains a height of 25 to 40 feet in a season. Blossoms 3 to 6 in. in diameter and emit a rich Jassamine odor at night. The variety we offer is much earlier and blooms more freely than the ordinary Moon Flower. Blooms at night and dull days. pkt. 6 cts. 2 pkts. 10 cts.



NIGELLA.





PASSIFLORA.



LADY BIRD NASTURTIUM—Packet 3 cents.



RHODANTHE.



NOLANA.



MIMULUS.



NYMPHÆA.



POTENTILLA.



THUNBERGIA—Packet of Seed 4 cents.



MAMMOTH RICINUS—Pkt. 4 cts.



Empress of India.



TORENIA.

## NASTURTIUM. One of the most largely grown and popular of all flowers; unsurpassed for small bouquets.

### Dwarf Nasturtium.

Compact little plants, 1 ft. high making a mass of gorgeous bloom from June till frosts.

All 3 cts. a pkt. 4 pkts. for 10 cts.

- 437 Empress of India. Dark leaves.
- 438 Crimson. Finest Crimson.
- 439 Rose. Soft rose color.
- 441 Spotted. Finest spotted sorts.
- 442 Beauty. Scarlet and canary.
- 443 Scarlet. Flashing scarlet.
- 444 Crystal Palace Gem.
- 446 King Theodore. Dark maroon.
- 447 Golden King. Exquisite yellow.
- 448 Coeruleo Roseum. Peach col. r.
- 449 Bronze King. Crimson bronze.
- 450 Aurora. Streaked and veined.
- 451 Gold Leaved. Yellow foliage.
- 452 White Pearl. Creamy white.
- 453 Lady Bird. Orange, red spots
- 454 DWARF MIXED. Above and other choice sorts in splendid mixture. pkt. 3 cts. ounce roots, ¼ lb. 25 cts.

### Tall Nasturtiums.

Popular climber for low trellises and screens. Always loaded with bloom.

3 cts a pkt. 4 pkts. 10 cts.

- 455 Purple and Gold. Showy.
- 456 Dunnetts Orange. Dark orange
- 457 Edward Otto. Silky bronze.
- 458 Pearl. Delicate white.
- 460 Striped Varieties. Best mixed.
- 461 Regelianum. Violet crimson.
- 462 Schillingii. Bright yellow.
- 701 Von Moltke. Beautiful rose.
- 723 Brown King. Purple brown.
- 463 Climbing Mixed. All new and old sorts. oz 10c. 9 oz 15c. ¼ lb 25c.
- 464 Lobbianum Mixed. Blossoms smaller, brighter and more profuse bloomers than above. ¼ oz 8c. oz 15c.
- 807 French Chameleon. Oddity of great beauty; on the same plant is found entirely different flowers.
- 3019 Minus. Pretty trailer, between tall and dwarf Nasturtium.

Any above Nasturtiums at 3 cts. a packet: 4 pkts. 10 cts. 12 pks 25c.

423 MIMULUS, Show Mixed. Blossoms bright and showy, spotted and marked with rich colors. Fragrant, suitable for house or garden. pkt. 5 cts.

472 NOLANA, Mixed. Pretty trailer for hanging baskets. pkt. 3 cts.

473 NYMPHÆA or WATER LILY. Includes Double White, Royal Purple Zanzibariensis &c. Start in pans of wet mud. pkt. 8 cts.

535 PASSIFLORA or Passion Flower. Handsome climber. pkt. 5 cts.

547 POTENTILLA, Double. Perennial, rich, showy flowers. pkt. 5 cts.

610 RHODANTHE, Mixed. One of the best everlasting flowers. pkt. 4 cts.

3040 RICINUS, Zanzibariensis. Massive leaves 2 feet across; showiest of lawn plants. Seed grows readily, makes big plant in 2 months. pkt. 4 cts. oz. 12 cts.

648 THUNBERGIA, Mixed. A handsome, delicate climber growing 5 to 6 feet high. pkt. 4 cts.

649 TORENIA. Charming for pots or hanging pot. pkt 5.



# Our Fancy, Mammoth, Everblooming PANSIES.

We are among the largest growers of Pansies in this country, growing our own seed and also supplying several other seedsmen. 3 packets of our Royal Show Mixed containing about 1000 seeds and costing 10 cts will give a wealth of blossoms from the disappearing of the snow until its coming again. No plant is more charming, popular or presents so great a variety of choice colors.

484 **King of Blacks.** deep coal black. pkt 4c

486 **Yellow.** Several new shades. pkt. 4 cts.

489 **Mahogany.** Rich handsome. pkt. 4 cts.

495 **Fire Dragon.** Fiery orange and bronzed purple eye. pkt. 5 cts.

500 **Lord Baconfield.** Giant size, deep purple velvet shaded to light at top. pkt. 6 cts.

502 **Giant Emperor William.** Ultramarine blue, with eye. pkt. 6 cts.

503 **Giant Stained and Striped.** Showy and striking. pkt. 7 cts.

505 **Lady in White or Snowflake.** Spotless snowy white. pkt. 5c.

506 **French Faced.** Large fine flowers. Choice colors. pkt. 5 cts.

507 **Giant Trimardeau Mixed.** Flowers well formed and enormous size; great variety of colors. Splendid. pkt. 8 cts. 2 pkts. 15 cts.



508 **Cassier's Giant Odier.** Flowers of good substance, fine form and immense size; 3 to 4 spotted on rich, bright background. pkt. 10 cts.

509 **Bell's Satin Giants.** Giants in size, perfect in form, great variety of rich handsome colors mostly with velvety satin-like finish. pkt. 10 cts.

510 **BELL'S NEW JUMBOS.** Monstrous size, nearly double that of ordinary large Pansies; imposing five spotted flowers perfectly round, conspicuously undulated and curled, appearing almost double. pkt. 25c.

511 **BELL'S ROYAL SHOW.** Everything in Pansies worth cultivating. Over 200 choice sorts mixed. The best low priced mixture ever offered. pkt. (400 seeds) 4 cts. 3 pkts. 10 c. 1/2 oz. 25c.

512 **Bugnot's Large Flowering.** Rich and grand large flowering sorts. Handsomely marked. pkt 10c.

737 **Peacock.** Flowers large, beautiful peacock-blue with a white border. pkt. 6 cts.

One package each of above Pansies mailed for 85 cents; Catalogue Price \$1.17.

## PETUNIA.

For a showy mass or large bed of flowers Petunias have no superiors. Seed sown in spring blooms profusely from June till hard frosts.

780 **Inimitable.** Very dwarf and compact bushy little plants finely adapted for pot culture, or bedding. Loaded with bright, various colored bloom. pkt. 4 cts.

781 **Finest Striped and Blotched.** Beautifully veined and blotched sorts. Showy. pkt. 4 cts.

783 **BELL'S SHOW MIXED.** Everything good in free flowering, showy Petunias. pkt. 3 cts. 2 pkts. 5c.

786 **BELL'S INIMITABLE.** The finest collection of large flowering or grandiflora petunias ever offered. Some with edges finely toothed, others cut, others plain and many with handsome throats. pkt. 10 cts.

778 **Finest Double Mixed.** All the choicest fringed and fancy varieties. pkt. 10 cts.

One package each above Petunias for 25 cts.

## Showy Poppies.

514 **Shirley Poppies.** Or "Silk Poppies." Colors pure, soft and varied, ranging from bluish white, rose, delicate pink, carmine etc. to bright sparkling crimson. The vivid and intense colors blending in indescribable harmony. pkt. 3 cts. 2 pkts. 5 cts.

515 **Double Carnation Flowered.** Round, double, finely cut or fringed. Very showy. pkt. 3 cts.

516 **Mikado.** Charming double striped. Petals cut or fringed and tinted crimson on white base. pkt 4c.

518 **Iceland Poppies.** Hardy perennials flowering first season from seed. Satin-like, fragrant flowers which last a long time when cut. pkt. 4 cts.

520 **RIVERDALE MIXTURE.** Hundreds of the showiest sorts mixed. pkt. 3 cts. 2 pkts. 5 cts. 1/2 oz. 10c.

526 **Chamois Rose.** Lovely, ball-shaped. pkt 3 cts.

527 **New Oriental.** Grand, charming new flashy colors; blossoms 4 to 6 inches across, resembles paeonies. One of the showiest of hardy plants. pkt 4 cts.

528 **Eider Down.** Nothing can eclipse the chase and exquisite beauty of this. Like great balls of eider down white as snow. Pinked or slashed petals. pkt. 4 cts.

529 **Fairy Blush.** Extremely desirable; immense globular, double flowers, white tipped roots. pkt. 4 cts.

530 **Snowdrift.** Large, double, snowy white. pkt 4c.

Above 10 pkts. Poppy 30 cents.



BELL'S SHOW MIXED PETUNIAS - Packet of 500 seeds 3 cents,



# Beautiful, Standard SWEET PEAS. The Gems of Cut Flowers.

Judging from the quantity of seeds sold, Sweet Peas are the most popular flower in America to day. Several hundred thousand pounds are grown and sold annually in the United States. The separate colors offered by us are the best of the large, free flowering sorts.

- 589 Apple Blossom. Hooded, edged rose on white, pretty.
- 590 Splendor. Coppery crimson suffused with rose, large.
- 591 Orange Prince. Orange-salmon veined, flushed scarlet.
- 592 Indigo King. Large, hooded, indigo, maroon, purple.
- 593 Captivation. Shell curve, beautiful magenta or claret.
- 594 Navy Blue. Richest, largest and best deep blue.
- 751 Blushing Beauty. Delicate hooded lilac and pink.
- 752 Countess of Radnor. Delicate, exquisite lavender.
- 753 Delight. Standards light pink, shaded on white.
- 754 Countess of Aberdeen. Soft creamy white, margined.
- 756 Ramona. Rich creamy white, splashed pink, lovely.
- 757 Royal Robe. Soft carmine-rose and flesh pink; grand.
- 758 Mrs. Eckford. Best shade primrose-yellow.
- 759 Salopian. Rich, deep, glowing crimson, tinged orange.
- 761 Boreatton. Deep, dark maroon, satin finish.
- 763 Lottie Eckford. Silvery-white edged with lavender-blue.
- 764 Ex. Early Blanche Ferry. Earliest pink and white.
- 768 Emily Henderson. Early flowering, pure white.
- 769 Mrs. Gladstone. Loveliest shade of soft pink.
- 772 Brilliant. New brightest scarlet, does not burn.
- 774 Senator. Bright brown and chocolate striped.
- 775 Shahzada. Darkest maroon, shaded purple. Best dark.
- 776 Waverly. Standards rosy-claret, wings light blue.
- 1115 America. Bright blood-red stripes on white.
- 1118 Dorothy Tennant. Beautiful deep rosy mauve.
- 1121 Firefly. A deep, brilliant, fiery scarlet.
- 1122 Katharine Tracy. Soft but brilliant pink.
- 1123 Blanche Burpee. Largest, firm, pure white.
- 1124 Red Biding Hood. Hood-bud form, rosy pink.
- 1127 Golden Gate. Pinkish mauve and lavender, rolled form

PRICE—any above Sweet Peas—4 cts. a pkt; 3 pkts. 10 cts. 10 pkts. 25c. 1 each of the 30 sorts 60c. 1 oz. any color, 7c. 5 ounces any colors for 25 cts.

598 BEAUTIFUL HOME MIXED. One of the very best mixtures of Sweet Peas ever offered, 75 to 100 choice sorts. oz. 5 cts. 2 ozs. 8c.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 13c. lb 38 cts. 5 lbs by express \$1.25

599 Eckford's Mixed. oz 6 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 15 cts. lb 40 cts.  
600 Double Mixed. oz. 9 cts.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 23 cts. lb 65 cts.



4123 White Cupid. Spreading or trailing form, 6 inches high. pkt. 4 cts. ounce 10 cts.

4129 Pink Cupid. 6 in. high, pink and white; Blossoms same as Painted Lady or the Blanche Ferry Sweet Peas. pkt. 4 cts. oz. 15 cts.

127 Pkts. of Sweet Peas contain about 75 seeds.



BELL'S SHOW MIXED PHLOX—Packet (about 250 seeds) 4 cents.

## Phlox Drummondii.

The Phlox has every desirable quality for a splendid mass of color and constant display. The colors range from purest white to deepest blood purple, many kinds being peculiarly and handsomely marked. Seeds sown in spring make a dazzling and brilliant display throughout summer and autumn, earning for it the title of "The Flame Flower." A rapid hardy grower making a good mass, border, summer hedge or ribbon bed.

- 550 Scarlet. Brilliant and dazzling. pkt. 4 cts.
- 551 Alba. Pure white, large flowered. pkt. 4 cts.
- 555 Dwarf Mammoth. Plants dwarf and bushy, the flowers are large and full. Colors run through all desirable colors known to Phloxes. pkt. 10 cts.
- 556 New Double White. Blossoms large and double, remains in bloom longer than single sorts. pkt. 10 cts.
- 557 Black Warrior. Deep blood red purple. pkt. 5c.
- 559 Pale Yellow. Novel color, good bloomer. pkt. 5c.
- 560 Stellata. Most intense and charming scarlet, with large pure white star in center. pkt. 5 cts.
- 561 FIREBALL. Plants compact and tree-like, completely covered with the most intense, dazzling scarlet flowers imaginable. pkt. 8 cts.
- 564 BELL'S SHOW MIXED. A collection containing everything choice in Phloxes possible to procure, and far superior to other, so called, "Choice Mixtures." On our grounds this season we grew about 75 magnificent varieties expressly for this mixture; these were the admiration of all who saw them. pkt. 4 cts. 3 pkts. 10c.

## EVERLASTING or PERENNIAL PEAS.

- 602 Lathyrus Splendens. Great, dense clusters of brilliant, deep rose flowers. pkt. 4 cts.
- 603 Everlasting Peas Mixed. Perennials which die down in fall and start up in spring. pkt. 3 cts.
- 604 Rotundifolius. Small oval leaves; bright, bold rose flowers. Hardy, blooms early in spring. pkt. 4 cts.





Double **SHOW PYRETHRUM**—Pkt. 5 cts.



#### DOUBLE PORTULACCA PLANT

### PORTULACCA

For solid beds where a bright, shining carpet of bloom is required, the Portulacca has no equal; no plant can make so dazzling a show and none requires so little care. One plant will cover the ground for 2 feet and bloom all summer.

546 **Mixed**. Flashing colors, single and semi-double. pkt 3c.  
546½ **Double Rose Mixed**. Choicest double colors; look like small roses. Our seed will produce the largest possible percent of double flowering plants. pkt. 5 cts.

### Pyrethrum

Little known yet very desirable perennials.

606 **White Bouquet**. (Feverfew—Matricaria.) Small very double white blossoms borne in great profusion. pkt, 4 cts.

607 **Large Flowering**. Showiest, grandest new doubles. (see cut.) Desirable as Asters. pkt. 5 cts.

609 **Pyrethrum Roseum**. Double rose colored. Gather open blossoms, dry powder and mix with 10 times its bulk of flour, destroys insects. (Bubach—Persian Incs. Powder) pk 5



### PENTSTEMONE.

### Bell's Giant STOCKS.

Highly prized for cutting, bouquets, etc.; remains fresh a long time when cut. Produces long spikes of the richest double blossoms. Our Giant Stocks are extremely good.

640 **Ten Weeks Stock Mixed**. All choice colors; good for bedding or pot culture. Double. pkt. 5 cts.

641 **Perpetual Flowering**. Very double, large flowering, branched, fine for cutting. Continuous bloomers. pkt. 10 cts.

643 **Brompton or Winter**. Half hardy biennials. Many showy varieties. Blooms in winter. pkt. 10 cts.

644 **White Perfection**. Also called Cut and Come Again and Princess Alice. A splendid variety growing 18 inches high, of fine habits and almost a perpetual bloomer. Purest white and fine rosette-like form. Best for cutting. pkt 10 cts.

One packet each of above Stocks for 25 cents.

### MICNONETTE

An easily grown annual prized for its great fragrance.

472 **Golden Queen**. Large bright yellow. pkt. 3 cts.

476 **Compact Dwarf**. Compact, fine form. pkt. 3 cts.

477 **Red Victoria**. Good red. pkt 3c.

479 **Large Flowering Mixed**. All choice sorts. pkt. 3 cts. oz 10 cts.

### Scabiosa—Mourning Bride.

625 **Mixed**. Choicest large flowered varieties. This is one of the showy annuals, of easy culture, which should be in every garden. pkt. 3 cts.

### Salvia—Flowering Sage.

620 **Mixed**. Several sorts. pkt 3 cts.

621 **Salvia Splendens**. (Scarlet Sage.) Best of all plants to produce a dazzling bed or mass of scarlet. Grows about 2 feet high, round, fine form, and covered with spikes of the most brilliant scarlet. Seed sown in spring will bloom by August. pkt. 8 cts.

### Sweet William

Old hardy perennial, new bright sorts make grand show in masses.

646 **Single Mixed**. Finest. pkt 3 cts.

647 **Double Mixed**. pkt 5 cts.

### WALLFLOWER

676 **Double Mixed**. Plants resemble Stocks but are much taller with longer spikes of bloom. Colors rich and beautiful. Very fragrant. pkt. 5 cts.



**BELL'S GIANT STOCKS**—Packets of Seed 5 and 10 cents each.



## PRIMULA.

(CHINESE PRIMROSE.)

The Primrose is the most popular and satisfactory of all plants for winter blooming. Seed sown in spring make plants which commence to blossom in fall and continue to lavish their wealth of beautiful flowers till the following spring, when they should be rested for another spring. *All our seed is the Best Large Flowering.*

- 565 **Choice Fringed.** All colors of fringed varieties. pkt. 10 cts.
- 566 **Frimbriata Cristata.** Very beautiful large white. pkt. 10 cts.
- 567 **Double Mixed.** Choice double flowering. pkt. 25 cts.
- 570 **Rosea.** Plants often send up 10 to 12 spikes, 5 inches high, each surmounted with heads of 5 to 10

### CHOICE FRINGED PRIMULA—Pkt 10 cts.

- blossoms, each an inch in diameter. Color, bright rosy carmine with yellow eye. pkt. 10 cts.
- 571 **Obconica Primula.** Differs from other Primroses; blooms more freely. Seed sown in March flowers by mid-summer and continues in full bloom all the year round. pkt. 10 cts.
- 572 **Floribunda.** A good companion for Obconica. Free, pretty bloomer with beautiful foliage: red leaf and plant stems, surmounted by whorls of gay yellow flowers. pkt. 10 cts.
- 704 **Primula Japonica.** (Japanese Primrose.) Bright, hardy, free bloomers: pkt. 5 cts.



PRIMULA OBCONICA—Pkt. 10 cts.

## VERBENA.

One of the BEST of all hardy annuals: covered with bloom from July until November from seed sown in spring.

- 663 **Lemon Verbena.** Valued for the delightful fragrance of its leaves. pkt. 5 cts.
- 664 **New Gold Leaf.** Blossoms intense, contrasts finely with yellow foliage. pkt. 10 cts.
- 665 **Dwarf Hybrids.** Plants compact, makes little bush about 1 foot high. Flowers large, well formed and produced in great abundance. pkt. 10
- 666 **Bell's Selected Mammoth.** A very fine strain of extra large, brilliant Verbenas. Choice mixed colors. pkt. 6 cts. 2 pkts. 10 cts.
- 667 **Odorata or Sweet Scented.** Blooms in spikes 3 inches long; color white. Early, profuse and continuous bloomer. pkt. 5 cts.
- 670 **Finest Scarlet.** Intense. pkt. 5 cts.
- 671 **Italian Striped.** Finest varieties with carnation-like stripes. pkt. 5 cts.
- 672 **Pure White.** Clear white. pkt. 5 cts.
- 673 **BELL'S SHOW MIXED.** We use all possible care in growing this mixture not only to have the largest possible variety of the brightest large flowering sorts but to have them mixed in good proportion. pkt. (250 seeds) 4 cts. 3 pkts. 10

1 pkt. each of above Verbenas 40 cts.

## ZINNIA.

Very showy annual; blooms from July till frosts. Our Zinnias are extra fine having won many First Premiums.

- 794 **New Pomponne.** Pomponne shaped, rather small, double, all vivid colors. pkt. 4 cts.
- 793 **Bell's Selected Dwarf.** Fine, symmetrical dwarf, free flowering. Mixed colors. pkt. 4 cts.
- 795 **Zebra.** Handsomely striped sorts. pkt. 4c.
- 796 **Mammoth.** Large, double, mixed. pkt. 4c.
- 797 **DOUBLE MIXED.** All sorts. pkt. 3 cts.
- 1316 **Curled and Crested.** Curious, blossoms curled and imbricated. Mixed colors. pkt 5 cts.

### Blossom of Bell's Selected Mammoth VERBENA—Pkt. 8 cts.

- 15 **ADONIS, Vernalis.** Hardy perennial with yellow flowers. pkt. 3 cts.
- 619 **SALPIGLOSSIS, Mixed.** Showy plants, 2 to 3 feet high, producing its richly colored, erect, funnel-shaped flowers in abundance. Blossoms beautifully marbled and penciled, purple, scarlet, crimson, yellow, buff, etc. pkt. 4 cts.
- 630 **SCHIZANTHUS, Mixed.** (Butterfly Flower.) A very useful annual for cut flowers. Blossoms picturesquely marked like orchids. pkt. 3 cts.
- 633 **SMILAX.** One of the best and most graceful of house climbers. In cut flowers, wreaths, etc. it will last several days without wilting. pkt. 4 cts.
- 635 **SOLANUM.** (Jerusalem Cherry.) Pretty, tree-like house plants bearing bright, colored fruits which remains long on plants. pkt. 3 cts.
- 636 **ROCKET.** Very showy hardy perennial producing long spikes of beautiful fragrant bloom early in June when flowers are scarce. Grows readily. pkt 2 cts.
- 573 **POLYANTHUS PRIMULA.** Very choice hardy perennials blooming early in spring. Similar to Prim roses. Mixed choicest colors. pkt. 5 cts.
- 654 **VALERIAN.** (Jacob's Ladder or Garden Heliotrope.) Very fragrant old hardy plant with lively blue flowers and pinnately-cleft leaves. pkt. 3 cts.
- 655 **VINCA.** (Madagascar Periwinkle.) Fine house plant. pkt. 4 cts.
- 662 **VIOLET, Mixed.** Popular hardy plants. Blossoms quickly. pkt. 5 cts.
- 682 **AXOTHEMUM, Mixed.** Compact, free blooming everlasting flower, producing an abundance of purple, rose and white blossoms. pkt. 3 cts.



BELL'S Selected Dwarf ZINNIA—pkt. 4 cts.



This list contains only Bulbs of easy culture that will succeed and flower well with little care.

**Gladiolus.** These are the grandest and most admired of all the summer bulbs; there are hundreds of choice and rare sorts. Each bulb sends up one or more massive spikes which are loaded with blossoms of every conceivable color and combination of colors from the most gorgeous and dazzling to softest and most delicate. As a cut flower they have no superior, lasting fresh in water for a week. By planting at different times flowers may be had from July till frosts. Dry bulbs and keep from frost in winter.

**Our Fancy Mixed Gladiolus** containing all the finest sorts both old and new in good assortment. 3 bulbs for 10 cts.; 5 for 15 cts. 12 for 28 cts. 25 for 50 cts. 60 for \$1.00 by mail, \$1.50 for 100 by express.

**Tuberose.** These send up spikes of waxy white deliciously fragrant flowers; one will scent a whole room with its delightful aroma. The EXCELSIOR PEARL variety which we offer grows only 2 feet high and bears very large, double flowers, 3 bulbs 10 cts. 12 30 cts. 30 75 cts. by mail.



DAHLIA BLOSSOMS.

**Dahlia.** Grand stately plants which in good rich soil with plenty of moisture bloom profusely from July till frosts. Some varieties resemble Japanese Chrysanthemums, others have large, broad, overlapping petals and are often 6 inches in diameter. For cut flowers and bouquets they are almost indispensable, CHOICE DOUBLE DAHLIAS in finest mixture of colors our selection. 1 for 10 cts. 3 for 25 cts. 8 for 50 cts. 18 for \$1.00 by mail, 30 by express for \$1.00.

**Cannas.** The sorts we offer are admired not only for their beautiful foliage but they are all brilliant large flowering sorts. We sell tall and dwarf at same price. A handsome bed may be formed with tall ones in center and dwarf ones around the edge. Price by mail either TALL or DWARF CANNAS MIXED; 1 for 10 cts. 3 for 25 cts. 12 for 80 cts.

**Oxalis.** We offer the BEST SUMMER BLOOMING SORTS MIXED, suitable for borders, etc. They bloom freely all summer. 15c. dozen. 50 for 40 cts. 100 for 75 cts.



OUR TUBEROSES—Bulbs 30 cts. a dozen.



Blossoms of FANCY MIXED GLADIOLUS—12 Bulbs 28 cts.

**Aplosa Tuberosa.** Known as TUBEROUS ROOTED WISTARIA. A pretty, delicate, hardy climber with clusters of deep chocolate-purple fragrant flowers resembling Wistarias. 3 bulbs 10 cts. 10 for 25 cts.

**Cinnamon Vine.** A rapid growing vine with glossy leaves and white, sweet scented flowers. Good window vine. 2 roots 15 cts. 4 for 25 cts. 9 for 50 cts.

**Auratum Lily.** or the GOLDEN BANDED LILY of JAPAN. The finest of all hardy garden Lillies. Grows 3 to 5 feet high and produces its enormous white blossoms dotted with crimson from July till October. Bulbs 15 cts. each; 4 for 50 cts. 9 for \$1.00.

**Rudebeckia** or GOLDEN GLOW. The best hardy yellow flower for cutting or bouquets. Each plant loaded with hundreds of double Chrysanthemum-like blossoms. 1 for 10 cts. 4 for 25c. 12 for 65c.

All the above Bulbs and all seeds are sent by mail postpaid unless it says "by express".

## Fall Bulbs.

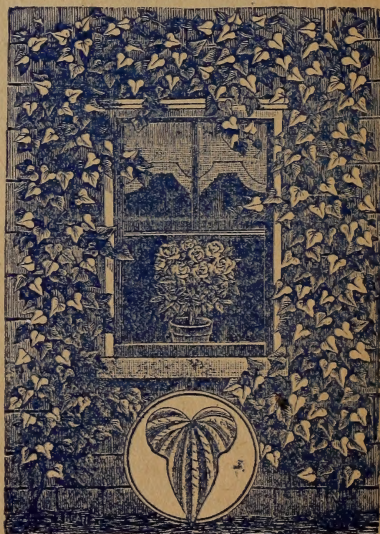
In September and October we carry a stock of Autumn and Holland Bulbs; (write us then for Lowest Price List). We will mail them then at the following prices.

	per doz.
Hyacinths, any color.	75c.
Roman Hyacinths	50c.
Tulips, Fine Mixed Sorts	25c.
Narcissus, Paper White.	35c.
Narcissus, Von Sion.	45c.
Crocuses, Mixed Colors.	12c.
Freeseias, Refracta Alba.	35c.
Oxalis, Buttercup.	40c.
Easter Lillies	20 cts. each.

BOX of 12 assorted hardy Bulbs our selection, for out door planting. 25 cts.

BOX of 12 assorted tender Bulbs, our selection, for house blooming in winter. 25 cts.

The above Autumn Bulb can not be supplied in the Spring.



Beautiful Fragrant CINNAMON VINE.



# PLANT DEPARTMENT.

A few of  
THE VERY BEST.

All our plants are nice one year old stock, as large as can be successfully sent by mail. Larger than those supplied by some firms. They will make fine plants and nearly all blossom the second season. We mail them postpaid on receipt of price. Unless ordered to the contrary we mail plants intended for the house the first mild weather after order is received; those intended for out door planting as soon as it is time to plant out pame. Southern orders mailed earlier than northern ones. Plants are always packed separate from seeds. Orders for many plants cannot be filled in spring after they commence to grow. Plants are carefully packed, mailed in good condition but not replaced if they die in customers care.

## ROSES. We can furnish nearly all leading sorts at same price as these.

**American Beauty.** Rich, rosy crimson; of excellent form and delicious fragrance; almost continuously in flower.

**Baron de Bonstettin.** Rich dark red; passing to a deep velvet maroon sometimes almost purple; large, sweet scented, very double.

**Caprice.** A striped rose, the ground color being a clear satiny pink, striped and dashed with white and brilliant carmine. Flowers large full and deep. Buds especially handsome. (see cut.)

**Coquette de Alps.** Pure white, tinged with pink in the center. Truly a continuous bloomer and very sweet.

**Gen. Jacqueminot.** (Jack Rose.) Grand old rose and one of the best; has had unrivalled popularity for 50 years. Rich crimson-scarlet.

**Gen. Washington.** Large, soft, glossy scarlet; perpetual bloomer.



## WICHURIANA ROSES. (MEMORIAL ROSES.)

These are of rapid creeping habits, covering ground, posts, stumps, rocky slopes, embankments, etc., growing where no other rose could live. Will survive the severest weather and remains green till Christmas. A two or three year old plant produces thousands of exquisite fragrant blossoms.

**Dorothy Perkins.** Very hardy; flowers 1 1/2 inches across; borne in clusters of 6 to 10 and are very double; petals prettily rolled back and crinkled. The color is a beautiful shell-pink and holds a long time without fading. Very sweet. (see cut.) 18 cts. each 2 for 30 cts.

**Manda's Triumph.** Large clusters, 12 to 18 blossoms, of double pure white flowers two inches in diameter. This is a gem. 10 cts. each; 2 for 18 cts.

**Evergreen Gem.** Not only evergreen but grows mild spells during winter. Creeps close to ground. Flowers double, yellow buff in bud; when open almost white, 2 to 3 inches in diameter. Perfect and superb with a delicate Sweetbriar fragrance. 15 cts. each; 2 for 25 cts.

**Universal Favorite.** Vigorous grower, shoots covered with dense foliage. Flowers beautiful rose color; double. 10 cts. each; 2 for 18 cts.

Dorothy Perkins.

## CAPRICE ROSE—Plants 10 cts. each; 3 for 25 ct

**John Hopper.** One of the most reliable and satisfactory hardy roses; regular and full. Color brilliant rose changing to bright glowing pink, shaded with rich crimson. Profuse bloomer.

**Mme. Chas. Wood.** Bright fiery scarlet, passing to rosy-crimson, shaded with maroon; large, double, showy, fragrant.

**Mme. George Bruant.** A genuine everbloomer. Hardy, glossy, leathery leaves. Flowers large, semi-double, produced in clusters of 5, color pure glistening white. Buds long, pointed, beautiful.

**Mme. Plantier.** Hardy as an oak; best white Hybrid Perpetual for out door planting. Blossoms large, pure white, double.

**Magna Charta.** A splendid rose, very large, full and double; fine form, sweet, clear rosy red flushed with violet crimson.

**Marshall P. Wilder.** Large, semi-globular, full and of good substance; color bright scarlet crimson, richly shaded with maroon; very fragrant. Desirable for easy growth, fine form and flowers.

**Mrs. John Laing.** A splendid constant bloomer, with immense full double flowers, borne in great profusion on long, stiff stems. Color clear, bright, shiny pink, exquisitely shaded.

**Paul Neyron.** One of the largest and finest of roses. Bright shiny pink clear and beautiful; Double, sweet and full.

**Prince Camille de Rohan.** A magnificent rose celebrated the world over for its large, handsome, fragrant flowers and the freedom with which they are produced. Color deep, rich, velvety crimson, passing to intense maroon, appearing almost black.

Above are a few of the best Hardy Perpetual Roses, suitable for out door planting. Plants are 1 year size and will make fine blooming plants in another year. Price by mail postpaid, 1 plant 10 cts.; any 3 for 25 cts.; 6 for 45 cts.; 12 for 85 cents.

**Mrs. DeGraw.** A hardy everblooming Hybrid; from early summer till late autumn it may be depended upon to produce flowers in abundance. Rich, glossy pink, delightfully fragrant. Truly a royal rose, every shoot loaded with flowers. 10 cts. each; 3 for 25c.

**La France.** The queen of roses; blooms from June till frosts. Superb form and size; delicate silvery rose; continuous bloomer.



MRS. DEGRAW ROSE



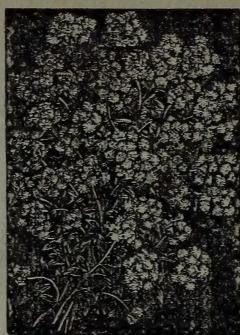
# 25 Cents CHILDRENS GARDEN 25 Cents

One package seed each of the 12 varieties below mailed for 25 cents; any 6 your selection for 15 cents.



**Bridesmaid Godetia.**

A showy garden annual 1 foot high producing an abundance of richly colored blossoms.



**Stevia Serrata.**

Produdes abundance of spray like, white flowers. One of the most useful of plants for cut flowers or bouquets.



**Mignonette, Pure Machet**

The best variety for pot culture pyramidal, compact growth with numerous stout flower stalks loaded with heavy spikes of the most fragrant blossoms.



**FORGET-ME-NOT, New Dwarf.**

One of the sweetest Forget-Me-Nots. Blossoms are the loveliest blue surrounded by a zone or band of white. Free and constant bloomer.



**Zinnia, Pompon.**

A very handsome class of fine double flowering Zinnias with oblong blossoms of many bright and showy colors, embracing all the shades of scarlet, red, white, yellow, etc.



**Nicotiana, White Sweet.**

Grows about 2 feet high branching freely and flowering till frosts in open ground and all winter if removed to the house. Delightfully fragrant, long pure white, a 1/2 blossoms.



**Lantana, New Hybrids.**

These are new large flowering varieties, much superior to the ordinary Lantanas. Grows very readily from seed and blooms all winter in the house.



**Ipomopsis.**

(STANDING CYPRESS.)

One of our best hardy perennial plants. Grows 2 to 3 feet high, tree-shaped. Leaves fine, lace-like and showy. Blossoms beautiful, in spikes.



**PHLOX.**

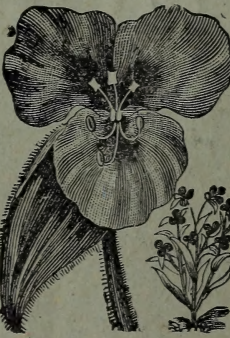
**Star of Quedlinburg.**

The large variety of colors, markings and combinations in them together with star form make them one of the most popular summer flowers.



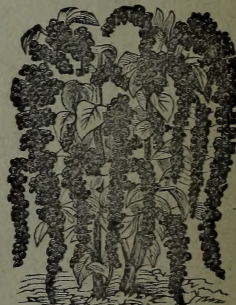
**Ipomoea, Variegata.**

A rapid growing vine of the Morning Glory class. Leaves are beautifully marbled and striped white and green, while the blossoms are large and showy.



**Commelina.**

A dainty, pretty hardy perennial that blooms freely from seed the first season. Plant and blossom resembles a small lily. Color the brightest blue.



**Amaranthus Gibbosus.**

A quick, large growing annual 3 to 4 feet high; useful for lawns, background or clump displays or massing,

CHILDRENS GARDEN—12 above sorts, 25 cents; any 6 for 15 cents